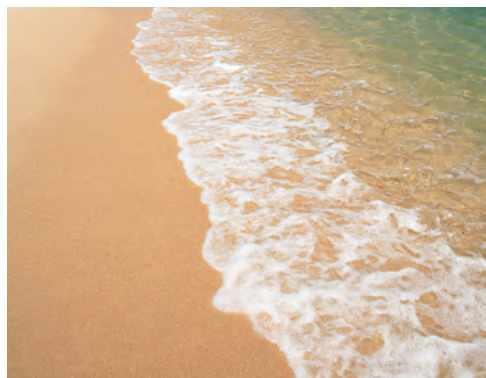


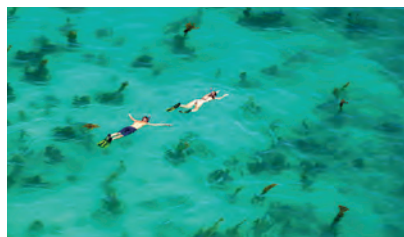
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Samui Island

Surat Thani

Thai Term Glossary

- Amphoe : District
- Ao : Bay
- Ban : Village
- Chedi : Stupa or Pagoda
- Hat : Beach
- Khao : Mountain
- Khlong : Canal
- Ko : Island
- Laem : Cape
- Mueang : Town or City
- Namtok : Waterfall
- Tambon : Sub-district
- Wat : Temple

Surat Thani

Surat Thani is an ancient city with traces of human habitation. In the 7th century, from found evidence, the city merged with the Kingdom of Srivijaya. The ancient city was divided into 3 towns: Viangsa, Khiri Rat Nikom and Tha Thong. Then in the reign of King Rama IV, the town of Tha Thong was moved by Royal command to Ban Don and upgraded to a fourth-level town subject to Bangkok, and was royally renamed “Kanchanadit.” When a province was established as a form of administration in the reign of King Rama V, the three towns were combined as one called Chaiya. In 1915, King Rama VI changed the name from Chaiya to Surat Thani, meaning the “city of good people.”

Surat Thani is the largest province in the South, spreading over an area of 12,891 square kilometres. It covers a rainforest area with a diversity of flora and fauna. Furthermore, it boasts crystal-clear sea, white sandy beaches, and famous islands; such as, Ko Samui, Ko Pha-ngan, Ko Tao, and Ko Nang Yuan. Each of the islands has their

own diversified nature. The province is divided into 19 districts: Amphoe Mueang, Amphoe Phunphin, Amphoe Kanchanadit, Amphoe Tha Chang, Amphoe Ban Na Doem, Amphoe Ban Na San, Amphoe Chaiya, Amphoe Khian Sa, Amphoe Wiang Sa, Amphoe Don Sak, Amphoe Khiri Rat Nikhom, Amphoe Vibhavadi, Amphoe Ban Ta Khun, Amphoe Phra Saeng, Amphoe Tha Chana, Amphoe Phanom, Amphoe Chai Buri, Amphoe Ko Pha-ngan and Amphoe Ko Samui.

Distances from Surat Thani to Nearby Provinces

Nakhon Si Thammarat	136 kilometres
Phang-nga	154 kilometres
Krabi	162 kilometres
Chumphon	199 kilometres
Ranong	221 kilometres

Distances from the Amphoe Mueang Surat Thani to Other Districts

Amphoe Phunphin	15 kilometres
Amphoe Kanchanadit	19 kilometres
Amphoe Ban Na Doem	40 kilometres
Amphoe Tha Chang	42 kilometres
Amphoe Ban Na San	42 kilometres
Amphoe Khian Sa	48 kilometres
Amphoe Khiri Rat Nikhom	54 kilometres
Amphoe Chaiya	58 kilometres
Amphoe Don Sak	63 kilometres
Amphoe Vibhavadi	69 kilometres
Amphoe Wiang Sa	69 kilometres
Amphoe Ban Ta Khun	70 kilometres
Amphoe Tha Chana	78 kilometres
Amphoe Phrasaeng	83 kilometres
Amphoe Phanom	82 kilometres
Amphoe Chai Buri	96 kilometres
Amphoe Ko Samui	102 kilometres
Amphoe Ko Pha-ngan	120 kilometres

HOW TO GET THERE

By car: From Bangkok, take highway no. 35 (Thonburi-Paktho) via Samut Sakhon, Samut Songkram until Wang Manao T-junction and entering to Highway no.4 (Phetchakasem Road) to Phetchaburi, Prachuap Khiri Khan, Chumphon and the onto Highway No.41, reaching to Amphoe Chaiya and Amphoe Mueang Surat Thani total distance of 660 kilometres.

By bus: There is a daily air-conditioned bus from Bangkok to Surat Thani. The bus leaves the Southern Bus Terminal on Borommaratchachonnani Road. For more information, please contact,

-*Krung Siam Tour*; Bangkok Office Tel. 0 2894 6045, Surat Thani Office Tel. 0 7727 2506, 0 7743 7342

-*Transport Co., Ltd*; Bangkok-Surat Thani and Bangkok-Ko Samui Tel. 0 2422 4444, 0 2894 6122 www.transport.co.th

-*Bangkok Bus Line*; Bangkok Office Tel. 0 2894 6050, Surat Thai Office Tel. 0 7720 0161

By train: From the Hua Lamphong Railway Station, a daily train service is available. Get off at the Surat Thani Railway Station in Amphoe Phunphin. Then, take a bus or taxi for 14 kilometres to reach the town of Surat Thani. For more information, contact the State Railway of Thailand (SRT) at Tel. 1690 Surat Thani Railway Station in Amphoe Phunphin at Tel. 07731 1213 or www.railway.co.th.

By Air: There are many airlines operating flights between Bangkok and Surat Thani as follows:

From Suvarnabhumi airport
(Bangkok-Surat Thani Route)

Thai Smile Airways Tel. 1181, 0 2118 8888
www.thaismileair.com

(Bangkok-Ko Samui Route)

Bangkok Airways Tel. 1771, 0 2270 6699 or the Ko Samui Office Tel. 0 7742 8500, 0 7760 1300, 0 7742 8555 or www.bangkokair.com

From Donmueang Airport (Bangkok-Surat Thani)

Thai Air Asia Tel. 0 2515 9999
www.airasia.com

Thai Lion Air Tel. 0 2529 9999
www.lionairthai.com

Nok Air Tel. 1318, 0 2900 9955
www.nokair.com

From Surat Thani airport, there are shuttle bus service to Amphoe Mueang Surat Thani and Ko Samui. For more information, please contact Pantip Travel Co., Ltd (Surat Thani Airport Office) Tel. 07727 2230 or www.phantiptravel.com

Transportation within Amphoe Mueang Surat Thani

In Surat Thani Town, there are many public transportation service, such as Tuk-Tuk, minibus (Song Thaeo), van and motorcycle operate in many area such as, market or bus terminal.

Transportation from Surat Thani to nearby Provinces

By Bus and By Van: From Surat Thani, there are bus and van service to Nakhon Si Thammarat, Krabi, Phuket. For more information, please call Pantip Travel Tel. 0 7728 2331 or www.phantiptravel.com, Surat Thani Bus Terminal Tel. 0 7720 0032

By train: From the Surat Thani Railway Station in Amphoe Phunphin, a train service is available to Narathiwat, Yala, Trang, Hat Yai, Nakhon Si Thammarat, Chaiya, Chumphon, and Hua Hin. For more information, Tel. 0 7731 1213 or www.railway.co.th

ATTRACTION

Amphoe Mueang Surat Thani

Taladnud Taladnam Bandon (ตลาดนัดตลาดน้ำบ้านดอน)

is located on the shoulder of the Tapi River embarkment, Na Mueang Road, is a Sunday Market centre of rare folk arts and culture; for example, Li-ke Pa Chaiya, Manora and shadow play, including well-known provincial desserts like Khanom Kho Ban Don, Khao Kriap On Chaiya, Khanom Bok Phum Riang, as well as OTOP products. Open during 3.00-9.00 p.m.

Khao Tha Phet Wildlife Conservation Promotion and Development Station

(สถานีพัฒนาและส่งเสริมการอนุรักษ์สัตว์ป่าเขาท่าเพชร)

is located in Tambon Dan Makham Tia, The Station sits on an area of 4.65 square kilometres (2,906 rai), and is 210 metres above sea level. It was declared a national reserved forest in 1965 and named Khao Tha Phet Forest Park. Then, the Wildlife Conservation Division established it as a Wildlife and Nature Study Centre in 1976. It was again changed to the present name. The Station occupies an area of dry evergreen forest and mixed deciduous forest. The surrounding area is shady with many large trees. Wildlife that can be found in the station includes mouse deer, common wild pigs, bulbul, and tailorbirds. A panoramic view of the town can be seen from the mountaintop. Also situated here is *Phrathat Si Surat* under the Royal Patronage of His Majesty the King, which was built in 1957. It was the first revered place of worship of the people of Ban Don. Then, a crack was found on its base, so the whole structure was demolished and rebuilt into a candle like-shaped pagoda, which is a beautiful work of architecture. On the grounds of the Station, there is an 800 metres

nature trail with interpretation signs for visitors to study nature by themselves. Furthermore, a campsite is on offer, but visitors have to bring their own tents.

To get there: Take Highway no. 4009 (Surat Thani - Ban Na San) via Bang Yai intersection around 2 kilometres and take a left for another 1.5 kilometres to reach the Station's headquarters.

Ecotourism Bang Bai Mai Community

(กลุ่มท่องเที่ยวเชิงอนุรักษ์ชุมชนบางใบไม้)

in Tambon Bang Bai Mai, or as it is locally called “Nai Bang”, is an old community featuring a network of innumerable little canals that flow into the Tapi River. The villagers live a simple life on the canal sides, in which is surrounded by abundant plant varieties on both sides. It provides various activities; such as, cruising and sightseeing through the arch of the nipa palm trees, learning local wisdom about making vinegar and syrup from nipa palm, which are the community's signature products. The Bang Bai Mai Pracharat Market is organized by the community to be a market center of local products from villagers both in the area and neighbor communities. It is open every Sunday from 9.00 a.m.-5.00 p.m. For more information, please contact Tel. 08 1607 4935 and 0 7729 2903

Ecotourism Khlong Noi Community

(กลุ่มท่องเที่ยวเชิงอนุรักษ์ตำบลคลองน้อย)

is one of the communities situated on Khlong Roi Sai. The locals have a simple way of living by the canal side among the richness of nature. The community offers a wide range of activities and attractions; for example, cruising and observing the nature, watching Archer fish at Uncle Phan Chongakson's house, visiting the old dockyard, enjoying a demonstration of training monkeys



Ko Samui

to pick up coconuts, and shopping for some local wisdom products; such as, nipa plam leaf and coconut shell products. Homestays are available for tourists. For interested persons who want to learn more about the community's lifestyle, please make further inquiries at Tel. 08 9728 2810, 08 1087 7648, 06 3078 1751.

The Pirates Park (สวนน้ำ เดอะไพเรท พาร์ค) is a large water park covering an area of 50 rai, equipped with a wide range of playing machines; such as, Giant Slider, and swimming pool for children. The park provides staff's assistance for all the operating time. Open daily from 11.00 a.m.-8.00 p.m. on weekdays and from 10.00 a.m.-8.00 p.m. on weekends and official

holidays. For more information, please call Tel. 0 7738 0999.

Amphoe Ko Samui **Ko Samui** (เกาะสมุย)

is a world-renowned island situated in the Gulf of Thailand, 84 kilometres to the east of Surat Thani. It covers an area of 247 square kilometres. The road around the island (Thawi Rat Phakdi Road) is 52 kilometres long. Only one third of the total area surrounded by mountains is a plain. Many beautiful white sandy beaches of Ko Samui. It is an ideal island for visitors who wish to enjoy the sea, sand, breeze, and sunlight. A long coastal line fringed with coconut trees together with the crystal-clear sea attracts

visitors to make countless revisits. Fresh seafood is another charm that keeps reminding visitors of this island. Apart from the crystal-clear sea, Ko Samui has a tourist activity that has become popular among visitors from around the world, a spa service. This kind of health service associated with hydrotherapy, including bathing, soaking in mineral or hot water, massaging, and phyto-aromatherapy, is available in both hotels and spa centres, having a specific atmosphere, comfort, and excellent services to make visitors really relax. For golfers, golf courses are on offer as well.

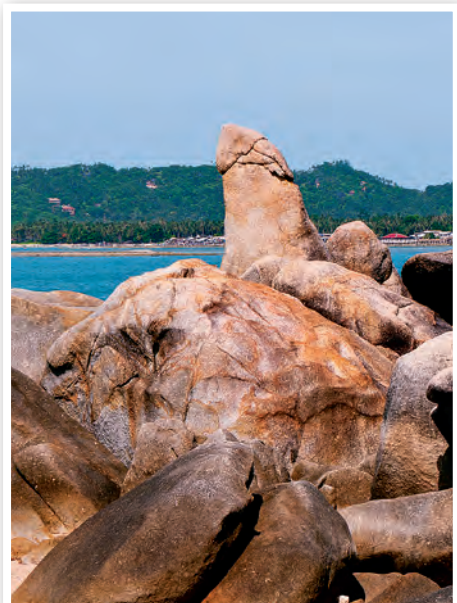
Interesting attractions within Ko Samui
Phra Yai or Phra Phutthakhodom (พระใหญ่หรือพระพุทธรูปโตม) is a Buddha image in the posture of subduing Mara, having a lap width of 5 Wa and 9 inches. The image is housed on Ko Fan where an insight development center is located; those who are interested in Dharma practice can stay here.

Hin Ta Hin Yai (หินตา หินยาย) is located in Hat Lamai, Tambon Maret. This natural phenomenon originates from the granite eroded by sea water and heat to form weird boulders. There is hearsay among the locals that a long time ago the grandparents, Ta Khreng and Yai Riam, natives of Nakhon Si Thammarat, travelled by sail boat to Prachuap Khiri Khan for proposing the marriage of their son to a daughter of Ta Monglai. Unfortunately, a strong storm sank their boat in Hat Lamai and the grandparents drowned. Their bodies were washed ashore and turned into the stones as seen nowadays.

Phrathat Hin Ngu (พระธาตุหินงู) is the pagoda for the Lord Buddha's relics called by the villagers on the island as Phrathat Sila Ngu. It is located 17 kilometres from the Ko Samui District Office. History says the pagoda was built by Mr. Sithong, a villager of Tambon Maret. The

Lord Buddha's relics which were given by Chaokhun Phra Atthathatsisutthiphong of Wat Chi Thon, Amphoe Phak Hai, Phra Nakhon Si Ayutthaya, were enshrined on 12 June, 1955. Their Majesties the King and Queen went to pay homage on 24 April, 1962. Thus, the islanders have made it a tradition to have a homage paying fair.

Tiger Zoo and Samui Aquarium (พิพิธภัณฑสัตว์น้ำสมุยและสวนเสือ) is located in Ao Laem Set. There are displays of interesting aquatic creatures, as well as Bengal cats and leopards. They are open daily from 9.00 a.m.-6.00 p.m. Admission is 750 baht for adults and 450 Baht for children. For more information, contact Tel. 0 7742 4017-8 Fax 0 7742 4019 www.samuiaquariumandtigerzoo.com



Hin Ta Hin Yai



Chedi Laem So

Wat Khunaram or Wat Khao Po (วัดคุณาราม หรือวัดเขาโปะ) is located at Km 13. Here, the undecomposed body of Luangpho Daeng or Luangpho Daeng Piyasilo (Than Phrakhru Samathakittikhun) sitting in meditation is kept in a glass coffin.

Samui Butterfly Farm (สวนผีเสื้อสมุย) is located on a hill next to the sea, to the south of the island, in the area of Laem Na Thian. It is 3 kilometres from the fishing village of Ban Hua Thanon, on an area of 20 rai, featuring a hill sloping down to the sea. There is a botanical garden landscaped into a stone park with flowers and decorative plants, Thai varieties of plants, herbs, and various kinds of forest trees, as the habitat of butterflies. There are areas set for visitors:

Ban Phueng, a Thai wooden house having a dark room showing the growth of bees, **Insect Museum** displaying Thai and exotic species of insects, etc. The farm is open daily from 8.30 a.m.-5.00 p.m. Admission is 200 Baht for adults and 120 Baht for children. For more information, Tel. 0 7742 4020-21.

Chedi Laem So (เจดีย์แหลมสอ) is a pagoda built by Luangpho Daeng, a most revered monk who died in a boat accident in 1976. The pagoda's body is wholly decorated with golden tiles. The Lord Buddha's relics are enshrined in the pagoda, which is situated by the sea bordering the sub-districts of Taling Ngam and Na Mueang.

Phangka Snake Farm (ฟาร์มงูพังกา) is located at 88/2 Mu 4, Tambon Taling Ngam. Many species of snakes have been raised in the farm, including queen scorpions and king centipedes. There are two snake shows daily at 11.00 a.m. and 2.00 p.m. Admission is 300 Baht for adults and 200 Baht for children. For further details, Tel. 0 7742 3247.

How to get to Ko Samui

By Air: From Suvarnabhumi airport (Bangkok-Surat Thani Route)

Thai Smile Airways Tel. 1181, 0 2118 8888
www.thaismileair.com
(Bangkok-Ko Samui Route)

Bangkok Airways Tel. 1771, 0 2270 6699 or the Ko Samui Office Tel. 0 7742 8500, 0 7760 1300, 0 7742 8555 or www.bangkokair.com
From Donmueang Airport (Bangkok-Surat Thani):

Thai Air Asia Tel. 0 2515 9999
www.airasia.com

Thai Lion Air Tel. 0 2529 9999
www.lionairthai.com

Nok Air Tel. 1318, 0 2900 9955
www.nokair.com

From Surat Thani Airport; there are buses available for boarding a ferry to Ko Samui. For more information, please call Pantip Travel Co., Ltd (Surat Thani Airport Office) Tel. 0 7727 2230 or www.phantiptravel.com

By train: From Surat Thani Railway Station, there is a bus for boarding a ferry. For more information, please contact Pantip Travel Co., Ltd Tel. 0 7727 2230, 0 7728 2331

By Boat:

Raja Ferry Company Limited (บริษัทราชาเฟอร์รี่)

Surat Thani (Donsak Pier)-Lipa Noi Pier (Ko Samui) offers a daily ferry service every hour during 5.00 a.m.-07.30 p.m. The trip takes 1½ hours and costs 140 Baht/person. For more information, please Tel. 0 2276 8211-2 (Bangkok Office), 0 7737 2800-2 (Ko Samui Office) or www.rajaferryport.com

Lomprayah (บริษัท เรือเร็ว ลมพระยา จำกัด)

Bangkok-Ko Samui (Pralarn Pier) offers a daily bus include ferry service. The trip takes 13 hours and costs 1,400 Baht. (Ticket includes bus and ferry). For more information, please call Tel. 0 7737 2144-6, 08 1976 7171 (Surat Thani Office), 0 7742 0121, 08 1079 3299 (Ko Samui Office) or www.lomprayah.com

Surat Thani-Ko Samui (Na Thorn Pier); takes 2 hours 45 minutes, 600 Baht. For more information, please Tel. 0 7742 0121, 08 1079 3299 (Ko Samui Office) or www.lomprayah.com

Seatran Ferry Company Limited (บริษัท ซีทรานเฟอร์รี่ จำกัด)

Surat Thani-Ko Samui (Bang Rak Pier); takes 3 hours, 500 Baht. For more information, please Tel. 0 7795 0559 (Surat Thani Office), 0 7742 6001 (Ko Samui Office) or www.seatranferry.com

Songserm Rungrueang (บริษัท ส่งเสริมรุ่งเรือง จำกัด)

Bangkok-Ko Samui: takes 16 hours, 750 Baht. (Ticket includes bus and ferry) For more information, please Tel. 0 2629 3415 www.songserm.com

Surat Thani-Ko Samui; takes 3 hours 30 minutes. For more information, please Tel. 0 2629 3415 www.songserm.com

Ko Taen (เกาะแตน)

is located at Mu 2, Tambon Taling Ngam, to the south of Ko Samui. It is a beautiful island of tranquil nature. Its long beach is fringed with coconut trees. To the east, a long beach parallel to inshore coral reefs is called Ao Ok. To the west, it is a closed bay with a strip of mangrove and a rocky beach, called Ao Tok. Here, the shore and coral reefs are rather unspoiled. One interesting thing of this island is that no dog lives here. There were many theories supposed to explain this matter: the sacredness of the island, or scientific reasons; such as, sound waves, magnetic fields etc. Apart from the abundance of the forest and nature, Ko Taen also boasts four routes of a nature study trail. Each of the routes offers a different natural landscape as well as living conditions of the villagers of Ko Taen. On the first three routes, in particular, visitors will see various birds inhabiting the island. It is recommended that visitors bring their binoculars, cameras, and notebooks for keeping memories and impressions of bird-watching. The fourth route is a marine one in which visitors will admire the beauty of the underwater world as well as the coast of the island.



Muko Ang Thong National Park

MuKo Ang Thong National Park (อุทยานแห่งชาติหมู่เกาะอ่างทอง)

is located at Mu 6 Tambon Ang Thong, around 20 kilometres from Ko Samui to the west, which was declared on 12 November, 1980, covering an area of 102 square kilometers (63,750 rai): only 50 square kilometres of land plus the area in the sea comprising 42 islands. Most of the islands are limestone. The main islands include Ko Wua Ta Lap, Ko Phaluai, Ko Wua Chio, Ko Mae Ko, Ko Sam Sao, Ko Phai Luak, Ko Kha, Ko Hin Dap, Ko Wua Kantang, etc. The islands of Ang Thong used to be a prohibited zone of the Royal Thai Navy. However, villagers have migrated and settled on the islands, and earned their living from coconut plantation, fishing and collecting bird's nests. There are concessions of swallow's

nests on the islands.

Admission fee for Adult 200 Baht. for Children 100 Baht. Accommodation and tent service are available. For more information, please contact Mu Ko Ang Thong National Park Office Tel. 0 7728 6025, 06 4642 5186 www.dnp.go.th

Interesting attractions within the National Park

Ko Wua Ta Lap (เกาะวัวตาหลับ) is the island where the Park's headquarters is located. There is a clean white sandy beach in front of the Park's headquarters. Located near the Park's headquarters is *Tham Bua Bok*, a cave where there are stalactites and stalagmites in the shape of a blooming lotus flower. Next to the cave is a 400 metres long walking path to the scenic

viewpoint on the mountaintop overlooking the beautiful scenery of the Ang Thong Islands lying in the blue sea.

Thale Nai or Mountain Lake (ทะเลใน) is located on Ko Mae Ko. It is a geological phenomenon caused by the subsidence of a limestone basin. This oval-shaped lake is 250 metres wide, 350 metres long, and 7 metres deep, covering an approximate area of 30 rai. From the Park's headquarters, visitors can go by motor boat for 15 minutes and walk another 400 metres to the viewpoint where a breathtaking view of the emerald lake can be seen, together with the beautiful scenery of the open sea surrounded by boulders and shady trees.

Ko Sam Sao (เกาะสามเสา) is an island opposite Ko Mae Ko. It is a 1 kilometre long site of beautiful coral and sea anemones. A natural stone bridge projects and bends into the sea. From Ko Sam Sao, a natural sculpture that looks like a stone castle can be seen towering on the mountaintop of Ko Mae Ko.

Ko Thai Phlao and Ko Wu Kantang (เกาะท้ายเพลา และเกาะวัวกันตัง) are away from Ko Mae Ko to the north. These islands are among the points of the most beautiful coral reefs.

Ko Hin Dap (เกาะหินดับ) is the island that has a beautiful and the longest beach of the park. The surrounding nature is beautiful with thin pieces of stone layers looking like a sculpture.

To get there: From Ko Samui, there is a tour service depart from Bo Phut Pier and Na Thon Pier, offer a one-day tour package by speed boat to Muko Ang Thong, which includes morning snack, lunch, and shuttle bus service

Amphoe Ko Pha-ngan

Ko Pha-ngan (เกาะพะงัน)

is around 20 kilometres from Ko Samui to the north; it takes about 30 minutes for a trip,

and 100 kilometres from the town of Surat Thani. The island covers an area of 170 square kilometres. Geographically, it has a mountain in the central part, stretching from north to south. In the west, there are plains. In the east, a mountain range extends to the sea. There are some small bays where boats can be moored in certain seasons. During the monsoon from October to January, an east wind blows; it is not the time for travelling. The island has many white beaches and inviting crystal-clear sea for swimming. Shady trees fringe the beach. The tranquility of the beaches adds another charm to the island for visitors to find.

Interesting attractions within Ko Pha-ngan Ban Chalok Lam (บ้านฉลบกหล่ำ) is a bay to the north of Ko Pha-ngan. Since it is deep inland, the bay provides a shelter from strong waves and wind in some seasons. When the sea is rough, boats cannot enter. However, there are many fishing boats being moored here when the sea is calm. Vendors set their stalls of products like those found in Talat Yai (large market). The famous product is sun-dried squid.

Hat Khuat (หาดขูด) This concave beach is located north of Ko Pha-ngan, about 15 kilometres from Thong Sala Pier. A beautiful view of the white concave beach is visible from the big beach rock viewpoint. The crystal clear water makes it an ideal spot for swimming and snorkeling in which visitors will enjoy Staghorn Coral and Knobbed Hump Coral. The beach is rather quiet because of its inaccessibility. Hat Khuat is best reached by a taxi boat-though, visitors can also walk along the forest trail.

Hat Thong Nai Pan (หาดท้องนายปาน) is located in Mu 5, Tambon Ban Tai, about 20 kilometres from the District Office. The beach is a crescent bay with a steep slope and surrounded by co-



Ko Pha-ngan

conut trees. It caters to family gathering and is a suitable spot for a swim.

Hat Rin (หาดรีน) is located southeast of Ko Pha-ngan at Mu 4, Tambon Ban Tai, about 12 kilometres from the District Office. The beach with clear water and white sandy is ideal for snorkeling. Restaurants and bars are available. The famous Full Moon Party takes place here.

Wat Khao Tham or Suan Suwan Chottikaram (วัดเขาถ้ำหรือสวนสุวรรณโชติการาม) is located on the mountaintop of Khao Haeng in Mu 1, Tambon Ban Tai. It is a Sangha abode where visitors both Thais and foreigners come to practise insight development during September to November. The temple is a beautiful and shady place. In the temple compound, there are a replica of the Lord Buddha's footprints, and a statue

of the Mother Earth wringing her locks. On the rocky hill where a Mondop (square structure) is situated, visitors can see a panoramic view of the island. Interestingly, at the back of a hillside is a stone shelter that looks like a cave.

Thong Sala (ท้องศาลา) is the largest community in Amphoe Ko Pha-ngan. It is a centre for trade, and the location of a passenger pier to Surat Thani, Ko Samui, and Ko Tao. Here, there are banks, tour companies, hotels, restaurants, and the "Song Thaeo" mini-bus station.

Hat Yao (หาดยาว) is a beautiful white sandy beach. There is also a coral reef making it ideal for swimming.

Hat Salat (หาดสลัด) It is beautiful and quiet. An off-shore reef is 150 metres from the beach and is ideal for swimming and snorkelling.

Ao Si Thanu (อ่าวศรีฐาน) This beach is located in Mu 8, Tambon Ko Pha-ngan, about 10 kilometres from the District Office. This beach quite dangerous for swimming during strong windy periods of the monsoon.

Hat Mae Hat and Ko Ma (หาดแม่หาดและเกาะม้า) Hat Mae Hat with long white sandy beaches is located north-west of Ko Pha-ngan. It is connected to Ko Ma and at low tide visitors can walk across them. Because of its proximity to Ko Ma, Hat Mae Hat is an ideal sunset watching spot and for snorkelling.

Namtok Than Sadet-Ko Pha-ngan National Park (อุทยานแห่งชาติน้ำตกธารเสด็จ-เกาะพะงัน)

covers an area of 62 square kilometres, including the Ko Pha-ngan national reserved forest, forested areas outside the reserved forest, and islands surrounding Ko Pha-ngan. Originally, it was named Namtok Phaeng Forest Park. The Park is still a fertile forest with a variety of plants. There is an orchid having the world's largest trunk, called *Phetchahueng* or *Wan Hang Chang* (letter plant–*Grammatophyllum speciosum*). The trunk is more than three metres tall. The stalk holding flowers is more than two metres long. A flower is about ten centimeters in diameter, having petals in green and golden yellow with scattered reddish-brown dots. Because of the fertile forest, various wild animals live here; for instance, sambar, common wild pigs, spectacled langurs, civets, and birds. The Park has Ton Phawa or Ton Wa (*Garcinia speciosa*) as a symbolic tree. The highest mountaintop is Yot Khao Ra, at a height of 627 metres, which is the main origin of water on Ko Pha-ngan. The weather is pleasantly cool all year round. No accommodation service, only an allocated camp-

ing ground is available. For more information, please call Namtok Than Sadet-Ko Pha-ngan National Park Tel. 0 7723 8325

Interesting attractions within National Park:
Namtok Phaeng (น้ำตกแพง) is the location of the Park's headquarters. This beautiful waterfall has many tiers; namely, Phaeng Noi, Than Nam Rak, and Than Kluaimai, which are among the streams of the waterfall. (Phaeng in dialect means a small layering rocky shelter that signifies the moisture of a forested land). The waterfall has flowing water all year round, showing the fertility of the forested land.

Dom Sila Viewpoint (จุดชมวิวโดมศิลา) is located 500 metres from the Park's headquarters and 300 metres from Namtok Phaeng. It is a place for an impressive sunset.

Namtok Than Sadet (น้ำตกธารเสด็จ) is located in Tambon Ban Tai. King Rama V visited this waterfall and named it. It was his favourite one and he paid 14 visits throughout his reign. Furthermore, Kings Rama VI and VII with their consort queens, and King Rama IX visited and had their royal initials inscribed on the stones at the waterfall. To visit the waterfall, visitors can go by boat and car. Travelling by boat, visitors will enter Ao Than Sadet and witness the beauty of a mountain comprising boulders in striking forms, and a white sandy beach. Following the boat trip, a small walk will lead to a stream of rushing water roaring when hitting numerous rocky formations in its course. During October and January, a boat trip is impossible. In the rainy season, it will be very difficult to travel along the steep slopes and highly mountainous areas, so caution must be applied.

Khao Ra Viewpoint (จุดชมทิวทัศน์ยอดเขาหรรษา) Khao Ra stands at an elevation of 627 metres above sea level and covers an area of approxi-

mately 200 square metres. Visitors will enjoy hiking to the summit, an allocated camping ground, as well as, beautiful intact forest with big trees, wild orchids, and ferns, such as, Tiger orchid, Bird's nest Fern, Elk's Horn Fern, and Common Tassel Fern. At the summit, enjoy the sea of mist at sunrise and the scenery around Ao Chalok Lam and Ko Tao, see the ideal spot for the sunset with Mu Ko Ang Thong as the background.

Lord Buddha's Footprints on the Mountain at Wat Mathurawararam or Wat Maduea Wan (พระพุทธรูปบาทจำลองบนภูเขาวัดมธุราวาราม หรือ วัดมะเดื่อหวาน) is located in Mu 3, Tambon Ko Pha-ngan. A replica of the Lord Buddha's footprints is enshrined in the Mondop (square structure) on the mountaintop. Visitors can easily climb the stairs from the foot of the mountain to pay homage to the footprints. A homage paying fair is held annually.

How To Get to Ko Pha-ngan

By Boat

Raja Ferry Company Limited (บริษัท ราชาเฟอร์รี่) *Surat Thani (Donsak Pier)-Ko Pha-ngan (Thong Sala Pier)*; takes 2 hours and 30 minutes, 210 Baht/person. For more information, please Tel. 0 2276 8211-2 or www.rajaferryport.com

Ko Samui (Raja Ferry Pier)-Ko Pha-ngan (Thong Sala Pier) The trip takes 1 hour and 30 minutes, 150 Baht. For more information, please Tel. 0 2276 8211-2 or www.rajaferryport.com

Lomprayah (บริษัท เรือเร็ว ลมพระยา จำกัด)

Bangkok-Ko Pha-ngan 1,300 Baht/person (The ticket includes bus and ferry). For more information, please Tel. 0 2629 2569-70, 0 2629 2550-51 or www.lomprayah.com

Ko Samui-Ko Pha-ngan; takes 30 minutes,

300 Baht. For more information, please Tel. 0 2629 2569-70 (Bangkok Office), 0 7742 3761-2, 08 7887 9791 (Ko Pha-ngan Office) or www.lomprayah.com

Seatran Ferry Company Limited (บริษัท ซีทรานเฟอร์รี่ จำกัด)

Surat Thani-Ko Pha-ngan; takes 4 hour, 550 Baht. For more information, please Tel. 0 7795 0559 (Don Sak Pier), 0 7742 6001 (Ko Samui Pier) or www.seatranferry.com

Songserm Rungrueang (บริษัท ส่งเสริมรุ่งเรือง จำกัด)

Bangkok-Ko Pha-ngan; takes 18 hours, 800 Baht. (Ticket include bus and ferry) For more information, please Tel. 0 2629 3415 www.songserm.com

Ko Samui-Ko Pha-ngan; takes 45 minutes, 200 Baht. For more information, please Tel. 0 2629 3415 www.songserm.com

Ko Tao (เกาะเต่า)

is an isolated island in the Gulf of Thailand, 45 kilometres northwest of Amphoe Ko Pha-ngan, 64 kilometres from Ko Samui, 110 kilometres off the coast of Surat Thani, and 74 kilometres off the coast of Chumphon. In the past, turtles came here to lay their eggs because it is a remote island with an intact environment. This was how Ko Tao or Turtle Island derived its name. It is an island of nature and has an abundance of marine life, beautiful coral reefs in shallow and deep sea, a variety of fish in beautiful colours that divers would dream of, and many white sandy beaches for leisure. Furthermore, there are diving schools with new divers coming to learn basic skills. Many types of bungalows are on offer at different prices for visitors to choose.

Interesting attractions within Ko Tao:

Ao Tanot (อ่าวตีนต) is a bay to the east. It is a coral spot. There is a cliff that extends to Laem Thian, and beautiful scenery.

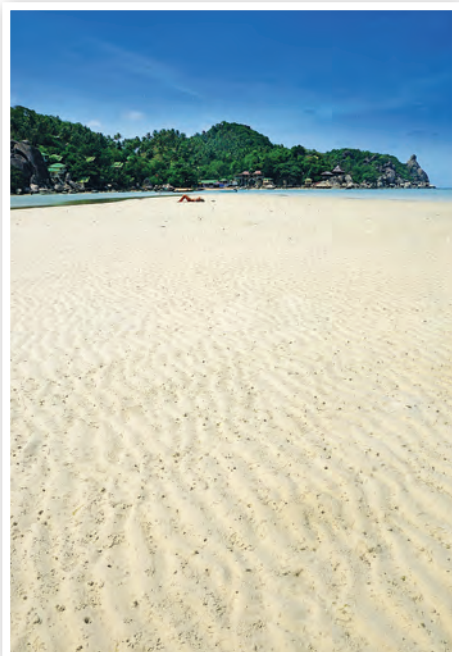
Ao Luek (อ่าวลึก) is a bay located to the south-east, surrounded by cliffs. There is a beautiful rocky cape and a coral diving site.

Laem Ta To (แหลมตาโต๊ะ) is a viewpoint on the mountaintop, overlooking the scenery of Ao Thian Ok and Ao Chalok Ban Kao. There are coconut plantations interspersed with rocks.

Hat Sai Ri (หาดทรายรี) is the longest beach with white sand and coral reefs parallel to the beach.

Laem Hin Cho Po Ro (แหลมหิน จปร.) is a cape where the stone incised with the royal initials of King Rama V is located on Hat Sai Ri, as evidenced of a royal marine visit.

Kong Hin Chumphon (กองหินชุมพร) is a pile of underwater rocks away from Ko Tao in the direction to Chumphon. It takes 90 minutes for a boat trip. Coral is found in the sea at a depth of 120 feet. It abounds with fish.



Ko Tao

How To Get to Ko Tao (From Surat Thani)

Lomprayah (บริษัทเรือเร็ว ลมพระยา จำกัด)

Surat Thani-Ko Tao; takes 5 hours 15 minutes, 800-1,000 Baht. For more information, please Tel. 0 7737 2144-6 (Surat Thani Office), 0 7795 1129, 08 1370 4004 (Ko Tao Office) www.lomprayah.com

Ko Samui-Ko Tao; takes 3 hours, 600 Baht. For more information, please Tel. 0 7742 0121, 08 1079 3299 (Ko Samui Office), 0 7795 1129, 08 1370 4004 (Ko Tao Office) www.lomprayah.com

Ko Pha-ngan-Ko Tao; takes 1 hour, 500 Baht. For more information, please Tel. 0 7742 3761-2, 08 7887 9791 (Ko Pha-ngan Office), 0 7795 1129,

08 1370 4004 (Ko Tao Office) www.lomprayah.com

Seatran Ferry Company Limited (บริษัท ซีทรานเฟอรี่ จำกัด)

Surat Thani-Ko Tao; takes 4 hours, 850-900 Baht. For more information, please Tel. 0 7795 0559 (Donsak Pier Office) www.seatranferry.com

Ko Samui-Ko Tao; takes 2 hours, 600 Baht. For more information, please Tel. 0 7742 6001 (Ko Samui Office) www.seatranferry.com

Ko Pha-ngan-Ko Tao; takes 1 hour 30 minutes, 450 Baht . For more information, please Tel. 0 7742 6001 (Ko Samui Office) www.seatranferry.com

From Chumphon

Lomprayah (บริษัท เรือเร็ว ลมพระยา จำกัด)

Bangkok-Ko Tao; takes 9 hours, 1,100 Baht (Ticket include bus and ferry) For more information, please Tel. 0 2629 2569-70 (Bangkok Office), 0 7795 1129, 08 1370 4004 (Ko Tao Office) www.lomprayah.com

Chumphon-Ko Tao; takes 1 hour 45 minutes, 600 Baht. For more information, please contact Tel. 08 1956 5644 (Chumphon Office), 0 7755 8212-3 (Ko Tao Office) www.lomprayah.com

Songserm Rungrueang (บริษัท ส่งเสริมรุ่งเรือง จำกัด)

Chumphon-Ko Tao; Takes 2 hours 45 minutes, 500 Baht. For more information, please call Tel. 0 2629 3415 www.songserm.com

Ko Nang Yuan (เกาะนางยวน)

is an island located to the northeast of Ko Tao. It consists of three islets linked together. When the sea recedes, sandy beaches can be seen connected. It is an island of white fine sand and crystal-clear sea that mostly suits tranquility lovers. Besides, shallow and deep sea coral reefs, which are beautiful and still intact, attract a regular visit by divers. Furthermore, a scenic viewpoint enables visitors to overlook a splendid line of the island's three beaches. There is an accommodation place on the hillside managed by a private operator, which also overlooks the beauty of the sea.

Amphoe Don Sak

Ko Nok Phao (เกาะนกผา)

is a tiny limestone island consisting of two bays: Ao Kruat and Ao Thian, which are sandy beaches alternating with rocks. There is a small community on the island. Most of the locals make a living by fishery. The community provides



homestays and adventurous and natural study activities that visitors can experience the way of fisherman's life. For more inquiries, please contact Tel. 08 7627 4594

Wat Khao Suwan Pradit (วัดเขาสุวรรณประดิษฐ์)

Phra Khru Suwanpraditkan or Luangpho Choi, a famous Buddhist monk master of the South, pioneered the construction of the temple. He died in 1993 and his body has been kept in a glass coffin in the ordination hall. On the mountaintop is the pagoda where the Lord Buddha's relics, brought from Wat Phrakiat, Amphoe Hot, Chiang Mai, are enshrined. The mountaintop is accessible by car.

To get there: The temple is located around



Ko Nang Yuan

1 kilometre from the town of Don Sak on the Surat Thani-Nakhon Si Thammarat route (Highway 401)

Stone Fish Museum (พิพิธภัณฑ์ปลาหิน)

is the creation by Mr. Kittu Sinudom. It was inspired by his past career as a boat captain. He carved stone into different kinds of fish and categorized them in accordance with their habitat in the sea. Inside the Museum, there are products from the sea made by the Bang Nam Chuet Group of Housewives for sale. It is open daily from 8.00 a.m.-4.00 p.m. For more information, Tel. 0 7737 1197.

To get there: Take Highway 4142 drive past the Don Sak District Office, keep on the way

to the Ferry Pier and see the Museum on the left-hand side.

Wat Don Sak or Wat Singkhon (วัดดอนสัก หรือ วัดสิงขร)

is located at Mu 2, Tambon Don Sak, is a more than 500-year-old temple and houses a cave, called Tham Singkhon, which is believed to have been a store during the wartime in the mid-Ayutthaya period. The temple also enshrines a large statue of Luangpu Thuat with a measurement of 29.9 metres lap span and is 32.9 metres high for tourists to pay homage.

Ban Ko Raet Community (ชุมชนบ้านเกาะแรต)

is located at Mu 3, Tambon Don Sak, is a tiny island that is approximately 700 metres from the coast. The Ban Ko Raet Community is a Thai-Hainanese fishermen's village who immigrated and made settlement here for almost 200 years. The immigrants also brought a sacred Chinese Buddha figure to worship. Therefore, the way of the local people's life is Chinese influential culture that is illustrated by the way of the construction of the wooden row houses and Chinese shrines. The Community's activities include observing the fisherman's way of living, cruising and sightseeing along the islands nearby, as well as watching dolphins. Homes-tays are also provided for tourists. For further inquiries, please contact Tel. 08 6945 5249

To get there: It is 2 kilometres from Amphoe Don Sak. Follow Highway No. 4142, passing the Don Sak District Office for about 2 kilometres and crossing the Chaloem Sirirat Bridge.

Ban Nang Kam Community (ชุมชนบ้านนังก่ำ)

is an ecotourism attraction featuring a beautiful beach, Hat Nang Kam, where visitors can swim

and do many interesting activities as follows:

Marine-based tourism activities: will be guided by the people in the community to see Pacific humpback dolphin, Hin Phap Pha, Wethi Phumphueng (Phumphueng's Stage), and a freshwater pond in the middle of the sea at Ko Nui.

The Ecotourism route comprises Khao Chang's Shrine, Hat Hin Khao, Hat Thong Sai Nai, Hat Thong Sai Nok, and Tham Thong Phin including the learning activity of the Ban Nang Kam community's sufficiency economy. For more information, please contact Tel. 08 7008 4409.

To get there: From Amphoe Don Sak, follow Highway No. 4142, drive past the entrance of the ferry pier for about 2 kilometres, there will be the signpost of Hat Nang Kam, Then make a left and go further for about 2.7 kilometres.

Amphoe Kanchanadit

Monkey Training College for Agriculture

(วิทยาลัยฝึกเลี้ยงเพื่อการเกษตร)

is located at 24, Mu 4, Tambon Thung Kong. There is a demonstration and lecture about how to train pig-tailed macaques from the beginning to working levels. For interested people, contact can be made in advance to Monkey Training College, at Tel. 08 4745 5662.

Kradae Chae Monkey Training Centre

(ศูนย์ฝึกเลี้ยงเพื่อการเกษตรกระแดะจ๊ะ)

is located in Tambon Takhian Thong. There is a demonstration and lecture on how to train pig-tailed macaques from the beginning to working levels. A prior appointment is required, Tel. 08 9871 8017, 08 7677 3128.

Sinmana Farmstay (สินมานะ ฟาร์มสเตย์)

is located at the mouths of Khlong Tha Thong

and Khlong Kradae. This is a place for the natural culture of oysters. The oysters raised from this farm are larger than those in other sites. Visitors who wish to explore the farm can contact the Sinmana Farmstay at Tel. 08 1597 7575.

To get there: Take Highway no. 401 (Surat Thani-Nakhon Si Thammarat) until Nongsuan Intersection, turn left to Amphoe Kanchanadit for another 7 kilometres to Sinmana Farmstay office and take a boat to farmstay around 30 minutes.

Amphoe Ban Na San

Tai Rom Yen National Park (อุทยานแห่งชาติไทรโยค)

covers an area of 425 square kilometres (265,625 rai) on the Pak Khlong Nam Thao reserved forest in Amphoe Ban Na San, Amphoe Kanchanadit, and Amphoe Wiang Sa. It was declared a national park on 31 December, 1991. The Park features a fertile rainforest with important species of plants; such as, Yang (*Dipterocarpus alatus* Roxb.), Takhian (*Hopea odorata* Roxb.), Lumpho (*Intsia palembanica* Miq.), Siat Cho (Huia sumatrana), Khiam (*Cotylelobium melanoxyton*), and Sato (*Parkia speciosa* Hassk). The mountaintop is covered with clouds and mist almost all year round and a hill evergreen forest is found here with some species of plants; such as, Mueat (*Helicia excelsa* (Roxb.), Kamyang (*Boswellia sacra*), and Mangtan. This is the origin of the Tapi River. Most of the areas are igneous rocks as a result of the extrusion of the earth's surface and eruption of a volcano. The Park is under the influence of the monsoon; it has two seasons: summer from January to April and the rainy season from May to December. Wild animals commonly found here include serows, barking deer, mouse deer, common wild pigs, elephants, Malayan tapirs, and tigers. In addi-



Tai Rom Yen National Park

tion, there are former camps of the Communist Party: Khai 180 and Khai 357.

Admission fee for Adult 200 Baht. for Children 100 Baht. Accommodation and tent service are available. For more information, please contact Tai Rom Yen National Park Tel. 0 7734 4633 www.dnp.go.th

Interesting attractions within National Park:

Namtok Dat Fa (น้ำตกดาดฟ้า) is the largest and highest waterfall in Surat Thani. It has 22 tiers; the top tier features an 80-metres high cliff face. In the rainy season, mass rushing water flows down the whole towering cliff as if it cascaded from the sky. So the waterfall is named “Dat Fa” which means coming from the sky. It also serves as a nature study trail. The path extends over

15 kilometres and takes 2 walking days and a one-night stay in the forest, starting from Khao Nam Toe to Namtok Dat Fa.

Khao Nong (เขานอง) is the highest mountain in Surat Thani. With a height of 1,530 metres, its tip is clad in clouds and mist amidst moist coldness all year round. Trees of the hill evergreen forest are thickened with moss and lichen. Visitors can enjoy hiking, nature study, as well as, bird and butterfly watching.

Tham Khamin or Tham Men (ถ้ำขมิ้น) is a cave having its name relating to the pungent droppings of the many bats living inside. This cave is a prominent tourist spot of the Park. It is a spacious limestone cave of 2 kilometres long. Beautiful stalactites and stalagmites can be seen in the cave. Besides, the *Than Khun Shrine* at the mouth of the cave is a place of worship of the villagers. *Lan Rot Chip* is a large chamber with traces of a Jeep used during the concession period of bat droppings. *Lan Than Khun* features a limestone embankment with large-scale stalactites and stalagmites called “Sao Ek” (a major pillar) and “Lak Chai” (a victory post). *Chong Fa* is a hole going through the cave’s ceiling. *Man Si Chomphu* depicts a pink wavy limestone curtain resembling an image of the Lord Buddha in the posture of meditation. *Man Fa* features a giant curtain of stalactites of which some parts look like a head of an elephant. A campsite is available in the area of the cave.

San Yen (สันเย็น) A ridge on the east side of the park between Surat Thani and Nakhon Si Thammarat with a length of about 40 kilometres. From a distance, it appears like a smooth unbroken length. Prominent features include an elevation from 1,000 to 1,300 metres above sea level, as well as, distinctive wildlife and plant species, many of which cannot be found in the forest.



Tham Khamin or Tham Men

Namtok Mueang Thuat (น้ำตกเหมืองทวด)

is located at Ban Mueang Thuat, Tambon Phoemphun Sap, is a 7-tiered waterfall of 20 metres high with shady trees and beautiful plunge pool.

Suan Sala Artit (สวนสละอาทิพย์) in Tambon Khlong Prap, is an agro-tourism attraction that is not only malacca orchard, but also a complete agricultural learning centre, starting from a concept of the production process to the end of the finished products. The orchard is enhanced with a traditional Thai house amidst a shady atmosphere and provides a spot for seeing albino buffaloes and feeding fish and lamps. Open daily from 7.00 a.m.-7.00 p.m. without charge.

Amphoe Phunphin

Li Let Village Ecotourism (แหล่งท่องเที่ยวเชิงอนุรักษ์ธรรมชาติหมู่บ้านลิเล็ด)

is located in Tambon Li Let, covering six sub-districts. The villagers here mostly earn their living from fishing, shrimp farming, and coconut plantations. There are various ecotourism activities; such as, a cruise to see a mangrove forest and fireflies, and a tour to admire ancient monuments and objects; for example, Wat Khao Si Wichai and Wat Khao Phra Anon. Besides, visitors can see and learn about the local handicrafts of the group of housewives, as well as the way of life. For more information, contact the Li Let Community Office: Tour for Conservation, Mu 5 Tambon Li Let, Tel. 06 1174 7445, 09 5257 4428

To get there: Take Highway no. 417 (Surat Thani-Phunphin) across the bridge (Tapi River) around 10 kilometres and turn left At Ban Bang Phla junction, keep going for 20 kilometres will be arrive Li Let Village.

Tha Sathon Hot Wells (บ่อน้ำร้อนท่าสะทอน)

is located in Ban Bo Krang, Tambon Tha Sathon. The site has been landscaped by the Surat Thani Provincial Administration Organization as a health attraction to service the general public and tourists. It offers wells of hot mineral water at a temperature of 70°Celsius for bathing and soaking one's feet, a public park and playground. Furthermore, houses are on offer for those who come for natural mineral treatment. **To get there:** Take Highway 41, then turn left to Tha Sathon Sub-district Administration Organization for around 4 kilometres.

Wat Khao Si Wichai (วัดเขาศรีวิชัย)

is located in Tambon Si Wichai, an important archaeological evidence around 13th-16th centuries in Srivijaya Kingdom. There are many antiquities, Such as; a statue of Vishnu on the top of the ruins, the Yoni base. In 1975 excavated an ancient beads assumed that the trade has been around this area since ancient times.

Amphoe Khian Sa

Talat Chan Kapho or Lat Chan Khapho (ตลาดจันทน์กะพ้อ หรือตลาดจันทน์กะพ้อ)

is located at Mu 1, Talat Kao Khian Sa Road, Tambon Khian Sa, is a Pracharath Green Market that mostly sells local and traditional products whereas vendors from various communities sell old-styled food and desserts in the old wooden houses environment. The market is divided into various zones; such as, OTOP products, performance stage, demonstrations from communities, as well as photograph corners and rest area for families. The market is open every Sunday from 1.00-8.00 p.m.

Nong Thung Thong Non-hunting Area

(เขตห้ามล่าสัตว์ป่าหนองทุ่งทอง)

is located in Tambon Khao Tok on an area of 62 square kilometers (38,438 rai). It was declared a wildlife sanctuary on 24 September, 1975. Most of the areas are lowlands with swamps. There are as many as 5 giant swamps which are the habitats of birds and aquatic creatures; the largest one is Nong Thung Thong, covering an area of 4 square kilometers (2,500 rai). A valuable and prohibited plant found here is Chan Kapho (*Vatica diospyroides* Symington). Wild animals living here include Pet Daeng (lesser whistling duck), Yang Thon Yai (great egret), Nak Lek Lep San (oriental small-clawed otter), and Nok Yang Krok Phan Chin (Chinese pond heron). There are over 70 species of birds that usually migrate from temperate zones. The period with the most number of birds is from October to March. The Park also has a natural hot spring at a temperature of 50-60° Celsius, and a nature study trail to the hot spring. This easy-walking even path is equipped with interpretation signs along the distance of 1 kilometre.

514 Base Historical Learning Centre (ศูนย์

เรียนรู้และท่องเที่ยวเชิงอนุรักษ์ประวัติศาสตร์ ค่าย ๕๑๔)

is located at Mu 5, Tambon Ban Sadet, this learning centre formerly served as the People's Liberation Army 514 Camp. With its intact tropical rainforest feature, the Centre provides information on the tropical rainforest's ecosystem, social history, fighter and mass struggle during the movement of the Communist Party of Thailand, folk wisdom, indigenous values, and the concept of sacrifice.

Amphoe Phanom

Khao Sok National Park (อุทยานแห่งชาติเขาสก)

covers an area of 738.74 square kilometres (461,712 rai) in Amphoe Ban Ta Khun and Amphoe Phanom. It was declared the 22nd



Khao Sok National Park

national park of Thailand on 2 August, 1994. Its general features are earth mounds and high overlapping limestone mountains with sheer cliff faces. To the north is a large lake created by the construction of the Rajjaprabha Dam. The Park abounds with flora and fauna. Rare species of plants found in the Park area include Pam Lang Khao (*Kerriodoxa elegans* Dransfield) and Bua Phut (*Rafflesia Kerrii* Meijer), a flowering plant having a giant flower of 10-25 inches in diameter, seen in bloom on earth during November to January. Interesting rare species of animals are Kop Thut (*Rana blythii* Boulenger) and Pla Mangkon (Malayan bonytonque). Furthermore, the Park has offered interesting activities; such as, whitewater rafting, forest trekking, elephant riding, bird-watching, and walking the nature trail.

Admission fee for Adult 300 Baht for Children 150 Baht. Accommodation and tent service are available. For more information, please contact Khao Sok National Park Tel. 0 7739 5139, 0 7739 5154-5 www.dnp.go.th

To get there: Take Highway no. 401 (Surat Thani-Takua Pa) around Km.109 turn right for 1.5 kilometres will be arrive at national park.

Interesting attractions within National Park:
Namtok Bang Hua Raet, and Namtok Wing Hin (น้ำตกบางหัวแรดและน้ำตกวังหิน) Namtok Bang Hua Raet is a beautiful two-tiered waterfall of average height. The first tier flows from Bang Hua Raet into Khlong Sok and the second layer is in Khlong Sok. It has flowing water all year round. Namtok Bang Hua Raet merges with Namtok Wing Hin around 120 metres down below. Above this point 40 metres away there is a pool for swimming called "Wang Yao," which is 3 kilometres from the Park's headquarters.

Tang Nam (ตั่งน้ำ) features separated parts of the mountain as a result of erosion by water, which has become two cliffs facing each other with Khlong Sok flowing through them. It is about 6 kilometres from the Park's headquarters, or around 3.2 kilometres from Namtok Wing Hin, and accessible on foot.

Namtok Than Sawan (น้ำตกธารสวรรค์) rushes down over a sheer cliff, like a rainbow curve, into Khlong Sok. It is about 6 kilometres from the Park's headquarters, or around 1 kilometre from Tang Nam.

Namtok Ton Kloi (น้ำตกโตนคลอง) originates from Khlong Sok. It is a one-tier waterfall with a stony ground for visitors to take a rest beside it. It is about 7 kilometres from the Park's headquarters and 1 kilometre from Tang Nam.

Namtok Sip Et Chan (น้ำตกสิบเอ็ดชั้น) is 4 kilometres from the Park's headquarters. It is a wa-

terfall flowing along the cliff in layers that looks like the stairs of 11 steps. At the bottom, there is a pool for swimming. It is accessible on foot. **Namtok Maeyai** (น้ำตกแม่ยาย) is 5.5 kilometres from the Park's headquarters. This is a one-tiered waterfall around 30 metres in height and accessible by car. It is situated on the Surat Thani-Takua Pa Road, at Km 113.

Khlong Phanom National Park (อุทยานแห่งชาติคลองพนม)

was declared a national park on 15 November, 2000. It is spread over the area in three sub-districts of Amphoe Phanom; namely, Tambon Khlong Sok, Tambon Phanom, and Tambon Phlu Thuean. The Park encompasses an area of 410.4 square kilometres (256,500 rai), featuring overlapping limestone mountains and forests rich in a variety of large trees. The forest is wild and shady. There are many small and large streams. The streams flow to merge with Khlong Sok that runs to meet Khlong Saeng, the origin of Khlong Phum Duang that is part of the Tapi River. Admission fee for Adult 100 Baht for Children 50 Baht. Accommodation and tent service are available. For more information, please contact Khlong Phanom National Park Tel. 0 7791 8559 www.dnp.go.th

To get there: Follow Highway 401 (Surat Thani-Takua Pa), the same route to the Khao Sok National Park and take a left turn at Km 90 for 50 metres before reaching the Park's headquarters.

Interesting attractions within National Park: **Tham Kaeo** (ถ้ำแก้ว) is situated 2 kilometres from the park's headquarters. To reach this cave, visitors must take a 30-minute walk along the high steep ridge of the mountain for 919 metres. The cave consists of many chambers with stalactites and stalagmites in different

shapes of which the chambers were named after. For example, **Tham Kaeo** was named after the cave's wall that looks like folds of a curtain and its stone flakes that sparkle like a crystal or Kaeo. **Klet Kaeo** is a chamber filled with the sparkling lights of stone flakes on the stalactites and stalagmites. **Hong Ruesi** has a hermit-like stone. **Hong Manam** boasts stalactites in the shape of hundreds of seahorses astonishingly staying together. **Hong Mo Ya** is a chamber with medicine pot-shaped stalagmites, and some villagers have brought tiny pieces of soil and stone found in this imaginary medicine pot for medical treatment.

Tham Nam Lot Khao Wong (ถ้ำน้ำลอดเขาวงก์) This cave with water flowing through is situated 5 kilometres from the Ranger Station Kho Pho 1 (Ban Khlong Phanom). Visitors will find stalactite and stalagmite formations, as well as, a bat colony, along their 40-minute walk through the cave. The other side of the cave sees 1,000 rai of the defunct communist camp site-with its exclusively entrance from this cave-surrounded by mountains.

Namtok Khao Wong (น้ำตกเขาวง) is located just 2 kilometres from Tham Nam Lot Khao Wong, this 8-tiered waterfall and also the watershed of Khlong Phanom cascades from a high cliff to the creek below. Its continuous flow of water that runs along Tham Nam Lot Khao Wong passes through the agricultural area of the communist insurgents camp aka Khai Khao Wong.

Namtok Ton Sai (น้ำตกตोनไทร) is a 12-tiered waterfall with water seepage all year round. It boasts the natural beauty of forests and is a sanctuary for wildlife and different species of birds. Banyan trees are abundant here. It is located 3.5 kilometres from Ban Saphan Nak-accessible by car-at Mu 5, Tambon Khlong Sok.

Visitors can then access the 2-hour path from this village.

Rafflesia Kerrii Meijer or Bua Phut Hiking Trail (เส้นทางเดินป่าเพื่อไปชมบัวผุด) One of the biggest flowers, this parasitic plant is completely dependent on its host plant “Tetrastigma papillosum Planch” for water. They usually bloom during November-May as the weather conditions influence moisture contents in the soil. Bua Phut is abundant on the mountain of Ban Tham Phueng, Mu 6, Tambon Khlong Sok, Amphoe Phanom.

Nature Study Trail: “Ton Mai Yai or Big Tree” Hiking Trail (เส้นทางศึกษาธรรมชาติ “ต้นไม้ใหญ่”) With its starting point 200 metres from the park’s headquarters, trekkers can enjoy the 2-kilometre walk. Outstanding features include the Mersawa tree with a girth of 12 metres, scenic viewpoint from the rocks, dense lush jungle, and pleasant relaxing spots along the path.

Ban Tham Phueng (บ้านถ้ำผึ่ง)

is located in Mu 5, Tambon Ton Yuan. This village was named after a mountain. There are many caves and bees-Phueng-living here. An interesting ecotourism attraction is a pool of pressure and sucking sand or a cool spring. The pool is about 4 metres deep, and there is a natural force of pressure at the bottom that moves the sand up all the time. Other attractive places include Namtok Than Bang Khui or Than Phrueksa, Tham Nam Lot, Tham Samoraphum, Phru Nam Ron (hot peat swamp), Namtok Hin Lat, and Nam Phut (small spring). Homestay accommodation and a campsite are available here. The famous OTOP product is honey. For more information, contact Tel. 0 7739 9994, 08 9290 9420

To get there: Take Highway 401 and turn left at Km 63 to follow Ro Pho Cho Road for 10 kilometres.

Khao Na Nai Luang Dhamma Park (อุทยานธรรมเขานาในหลวง)

is located at Mu 8 Tambon Ton Yuan, is a dhamma practisesite founded by a monk, Phra A-Chan Phrai. He and the villagers joined hands to build Phra Phuttha Silawadi, a stupa enshrining the Buddha relics, on the limestone mountaintop. The goal is to build 7 stupas in total, in which each of them will have a different name and shape. The surrounding nature gives a pleasant atmosphere. In the morning, there will be the sea of mist around the area, which make it feel like watching the stupa floating in the sky. For more information, please contact Tel. 06 2873 7135.

To get there: Follow Highway No. 401 (Surat Thani-Takua Pa) continue driving past the entrance of the Rajjaprabha Dam for about 3 kilometres, make a left turn onto Highway No.4246 and go for about 20 kilometres to reach the Khao Na Nai Luang Dhamma Park.

Amphoe Ban Ta Khun Rajjaprabha Dam or Chiao Lan Dam (เขื่อนรัชชประภาหรือเขื่อนเชี่ยวหลาน)

is located in the area of the Electricity Authority of Thailand (EGAT) in Mu 3, Tambon Khao Phang, It is a multipurpose dam with a rockfill central clay core, 95 metres high and 700 metres long. The dam area and reservoir are shady with large trees and a beautiful garden. With striking limestone mountains outcrop in the dam and natural beauty amidst the seemingly cool turquoise lake, as its name Thailand’s Guilin, resembling those in Guilin of China. This is an ideal place for leisure.

In the area of Rajjaprabha Dam, there are many accommodations and a long-tail boat service for excursion to the dam. Visitors can take a

boat at Chiao Lan Municipality Pier. For more information, please contact Tel. 0 7791 8036.

Khao Sok National Park Ranger Station: such as; Nang Phrai Raft, Kraison Raft, Ton Toei Raft etc. For more information, please Tel. 0 7739 5154-5 or www.dnp.go.th

EGAT has accommodation and interesting activities on offer for visitors. For more information, please contact Tel. 0 7724 2555-9, 0 7724 2561

Another accommodations such as; 500 Rai Floating Raft, Khiri Vari Raft, Phutawan Raft, Sai Chon Raft etc. are offer tour package (accommodation include boat service). Visitor can contact directly at each raft.

To get there: Follow Highway 401 (Surat Thani-Takua Pa) and turn right at Km 60 at T-junction (with a Rajjaprabha Dam signboard) to rural road no. 3062 with another 14 kilometres will reach to Chiao Lan Municipality Pier.

Khao Thep Phithak Bridge (สะพานเขาเทพพิทักษ์)

is located at Mu 1, Tambon Khao Phang (behind Wat Khao Phang), is the 120-metre-long suspension bridge using large wire cables anchored to the concrete pillars. Embraced by the nature, the Bridge was built for the local people to cross over Khlong Phra Saeng with the spectacular background of the heats-shaped mountain.

Amphoe Khiri Rat Nikhom (อำเภอคีรีรัฐนิคม) **Khlong Nam Sai** (คลองน้ำใส)

is a canal located in Mu 5, Tambon Tham Singkhon. It looks like a freshwater canal in general, but its water is so clear that one can see to the bottom. Its watercourse is about 5 kilometres long and 1.30 metres deep. The water originates from a spring coming out of the root of a banyan tree which is around 100 metres from the



Rajjaprabha Dam or Chiao Lan Dam

swimming point and flow in to Khlong Phum Duang Canal.

To get there: Take Highway no. 401 (Surat Thani-Takua Pa) around Km. 109 turn left to Khlong Nam Sai for another 2 kilometres.

Wat Tham Singkhon Ancient Monument (วัดถ้ำสิงขร)

is a cave temple located in Mu 5, Tambon Tham Singkhon. Its antiquity can tell a long history of the communities that have existed in the basin of Khlong Yan (Khlong Khayan) and the KhiriRat River for hundreds of years. The cave houses many stucco images of Lord Buddha in different patterns and sizes. The important one is a large Buddha statue seated in the European style. Close to the cave wall on the left-hand side, there are at least six stucco standing elephant figures. On the wall on the right-hand side and in the hole of stalactites in the middle of the cave are stucco images of deities, demons, and Mother Earth, surrounding Lord Buddha. On the cave ceiling are stucco and spiral motifs and decorated ceramic crockery.

To get there: The temple is 12 kilometres from the town of Khiri Rat Nikhom. Follow the Highway 401 (Surat Thani-Takua Pa) to Km 34-35 and take a turn off the main road toward the temple for around 2 kilometres.

Hin Phat (หินพัด)

is located at Mu 13, Ban Yuan Sao, Tambon Tha Khanom, is an approximately 8-metre-high large fan-shaped stone lying upon another stone. In the morning, there will be a sea of mist flowing around the area. It is another amazing spot for watching the sunrise. To reach there, visitors have to park their cars at the parking space and rent a four-wheeled drive vehicle of villagers at 200 Baht per car.

Watershed Forest Ban Nam Rat (ป่าต้นน้ำบ้านน้ำราด)

in Tambon Ban Thamniap, features a natural blue-crystal-clear pond with sand at the bottom in the watershed forest. Visitors can enjoy paddling a boat and must strictly follow the regulations to preserve the natural resources in the area. Food and alcohol beverages are not allowed. Admission is free of charge.

Amphoe Vibhavadi **Kaeng Krung National Park** (อุทยานแห่งชาติแก่งกรุง)

is located in Mu 8, Tambon Takuk Nuea, covers an area of 541 square kilometres (338,125 rai). Located in the Park area are large rapids called "Chiao Krung or Kaeng Krung," featuring emerging rock formations against the waterway. Kaeng Krung is the most enjoyable rapids on the route of whitewater rafting. The banks are covered with a tropical rainforest. Apart from beautiful views along the path parallel to Khlong Yan, there are interesting species of plants, and traces of wild animal can be found on the sandy banks.

Admission fee for Adult 100 Baht. for Children 50 Baht. Accommodation and tent service are available. For more information, please contact Kaeng Krung National Park Tel. 0 7791 8063, 09 0878 0774 www.dnp.go.th

Interesting attractions within National Park:
Namtok Bang Cham (น้ำตกบางจำ) This medium-sized waterfall is located in Tambon Takuk Nuea. Its water plummets in large volumes only during the monsoon season, in which water from various streams runs across the valley in the village, flowing into a small canal, plunging off the cliffs to the valley below, and finally merging with Khlong Yan in the area of

the Bang Cham Rapids.

Hot Spring (บ่อน้ำร้อน) is located in Tambon Takuk Nuea, this hot spring springs up from the ground with a temperature of 40 degrees Celsius, laced with sulphur. The area around the pond is a large salt marsh with an area of 2 rai. The salt lick here attracts many wild animals.

Khlong Yan (ลำน้ำคลองยัน) White water rafting in Khlong Yan, which is situated in Tambon Takuk Nuea, is available all year round with many rapids and the banks are covered with a tropical rainforest. Kaeng Krung Rapids, in which turbulent water steadily slows down and paddlers can enjoy the view.

Namtok Vibhavadi (น้ำตกวิภาวดี)

is a waterfall that originates from the Daen Mountain Range and flows along Khlong Phai. It has nine tiers and each of them is high and very beautiful. The most beautiful one is the second tier which features rushing water flowing down over a cliff with a pool for swimming. The waterfall is approximately 15-20 metres high. It is located in a reserved forest that is rich in various large trees to provide moisture, and worth a visit for leisure.

To get there: Take Highway no. 4262, same route as Kaeng Krung National Park until T-junction Ban Pak Pai-Ban Namtok Vibhavadi and turn right to Ro Pho Cho Road 3176 around 8.5 kilometres.

Amphoe Chaiya

Wat Phra Borommathat Chaiya Ratchaworawihan (วัดพระบรมธาตุไชยาราชวรวิหาร)

is located in Tambon Wiang. The pagoda here is an ancient monument built with the influence of the Mahayana sect of Buddhism in the Srivijaya period. The pagoda is surrounded by small pagodas in the four cardinal directions,

and a cloister where ancient Buddha images in different sizes are housed goes around the four sides. The pagoda is a revered monument of importance in Buddhism of Surat Thani.

To get there: Take Highway no. 41 (Surat Thani-Chaiya) turn right at Chaiya intersection, entering to highway 4011 for 2 kilometres. The temple is located on the right.

Chaiya National Museum (พิพิธภัณฑสถานแห่งชาติไชยา)

is located in Tambon Wiang, opposite Wat Phra Borommathat Chaiya Ratchaworawihan. This is a national museum in the category of history and archaeology. The first building on the front part displays stone and bronze sculptures excavated from the old town of Chaiya;



Chaiya National Museum

such as, statues of Vishnu and the Bodhisattva Avalokitesvara. The second building exhibits pre-historic evidence and artefacts from the proto-historic periods of Dvaravati, Srivijaya, down to Lop Buri, Sukhothai, and Ayutthaya. Besides, many fine arts are on display. The Museum is open to the public from 8.00 a.m.-4.00 p.m.; it is closed on Mondays, Tuesdays, and national holidays. Admission is 100 Baht. For more information Tel. 0 7743 0166

Wat Rattanaram or Wat Kaeo (วัดรัตนาราม หรือวัดแก้ว)

is located in Ban Wat Kaeo, Tambon Lamet, about 1 kilometre from Wat Phra Borommathat Chaiya. It is unknown when this ancient temple was built. It is surmised that the pagoda here would have been constructed in the same period as the one at Wat Phra Borommathat Chaiya, between the 14th-15th century. It is an important ancient monument with the influence of Srivijaya architecture. This brick pagoda stands on a square base with porticoes on four sides and 12 indented corners. From the eastern entrance arch, there is a path to the central chamber of the pagoda. A Buddha image in the posture of subduing Mara is housed in every niche inside. The Archaeological Division of the Fine Arts Department excavated and renovated the pagoda site during 1976-1979.

Lamet Community Ecotourism Group (กลุ่มท่องเที่ยวเชิงอนุรักษ์ชุมชนเลม็ด)

is located at Mu 7, Ban Sai Ngam, Tambon Lamet, is an agro-tourism attraction and producer of the Chaya fragrant rice, local breed rice that contains a good smell. Currently, their rice production has been supported for conservation. The community is a learning centre of the way of living rice farming. In addition, there is

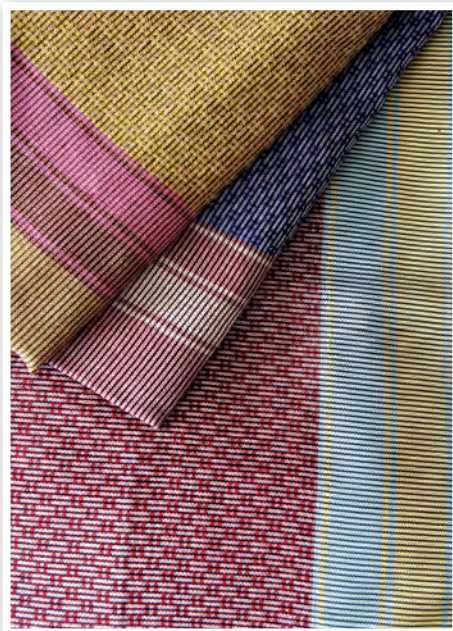
the Chaiya salted egg, a local all-known 4-star OTOP product by the O So Mo Community Enterprise Group. The salted egg are made from duck eggs and covers with soil mixed in salty water to produce a good taste. For more information, please contact Tel. 06 3274 8172

Ban Phum Rieng Ecotourism Group (กลุ่มท่องเที่ยวเชิงอนุรักษ์บ้านพุมเรียง)

in Tambon Phum Rieng, is a Thai Buddhist-Muslim culture community that offers various activities as follows:

Local Fishery: is a major occupation of the locals. The project of the Blue swimmer crabs bank was initiated. The crabs that are captured will be raised for eggs producing and hatching. It also features a floating fish basket and showcases the local fishing tools for educational purposes. About 30 minutes from the Laem Pho coast is Ko Set, an aquatic animal nursery that is important to the Phum Rieng community and a sea people's shelter from monsoons. Tourists can rent a boat from the village to visit this island. When the tide recedes, visitors can enjoy the learning activity of how to do shellfish ranking, in which the shellfish can be cooked for eating.

Follow the path of Buddhadasa Bhikkhu: the late revered monk born in Phum Rieng played an important role in the Buddhist religion. The highlights are Wat Ubon or Wat Nok, a temple that Buddhadasa ordained to become a monk. Nowadays, this temple is no longer operating and is now part of Wat Phum Rieng; only the ubosot remains. The first Suan Mokkaphalar- am (Wat Trapang Chik) is the first established Suan Mokkh for Dhamma practice; however, it was moved to merge with the new Suan Mokkh that is located near Amphoe Chaya.



Phum Riang Silk Fabric

Phum Riang silk fabric: is a famous local product of the community and the province. The fabric's uniqueness is gold-silver braided fabric with the Phum Riang original designs; namely, Ratchawat, Dok Khom, Dok Phikun, Noppakao, and Yok Bet. Interested persons can observe the weaving process.

For more information, please contact the Ban Phum Riang Ecotourism Group at Tel. 09 2397 3969 and 09 9319 9570.

To get there: Follow Highway No. 4011, the same route as Wat Phraborommathat Chaiya. It is about 16 kilometres from the temple.

Suan Mokkhaphalaram (สวนโมกขพลาราม) is located on Highway 41 at Km 134. Initially, it was named Wat Than Nam Lai. The revered

monk master Phutthathat Phikkhu-Buddha-dasa-built the temple in 1932 to be a place for retreat for peace and studying Dharma. There is a spiritual entertainment hall comprising paintings of art, poems, Buddhist doctrines and teachings in different sects of Buddhism, scenes of Lord Buddha's history, and models of carved stones depicting the Lord Buddha's life in India. The surrounding area is pleasantly shady and is suitable for mind practice and Buddhism study. There is a meditation practice training course for foreigners from the 1st-10th days, and for Thais from the 19th-27th days, of every month during 8.30 a.m.-5.00 p.m. For more information, please contact Tel. 0 7743 1552, 0 7743 1597

EVENTS AND FESTIVALS

Khao Sok Eco Festival (เทศกาลท่องเที่ยวชมดอกบัวผุดบาน) is held every February at the Khao Sok National Park. The Festival is aimed at publicising the Khao Sok travelling season and promoting attractions in Amphoe Phanom. The activities include trekking in the nature on the route of the Bua Phut (*Rafflesia kerri*) flower, tourism promotion activities, exhibition educating about nature and the OTOP product fair.

Surat Bike Week (งานสุราษฎร์ไบค์ วีค) is held in February at the field near the Wang Tai Hotel with the purpose of province's tourism promotion, safe driving campaign, as well as fundraising for purchasing medical equipment. The event involves a big bike contest, music performance, planting in the city, and selling souvenirs.

Surat Thani Kite Festival at Tha Chana Beach (มหกรรมว่าวนานาชาติ ท่าชนะ) is organised during February-March at Hat Samret, Amphoe Tha Chana. The festival features different kinds

of kites; such as international fancy kites, a kite show with light and sound, the battle between the Chula kite and Pakpao kite, the kite show with jet-ski etc.

Hae Pha Hom Pharthat Si Surat Lae Tham-machat Khao Tha Phet Fair (งานประเพณีแห่

ผ้าห่มพระธาตุศรีสุราษฎร์และธรรมชาติเขาท่าเพชร) is held in March at the area of Phrathat Si Surat Khao Tha Phet, Amphoe Mueang Surat Thani, with the purpose for people to pay homage to the Phrathat and promote the province's tourism. For further details, please contact the Cultural Office of Surat Thani at Tel. 0 7728 9863.

Surat Thani Food Fair (งานสุราษฎร์ธานี ฟู๊ดแฟร์) is annually held in March at Pla Wan Pier near Tapi River Dam. The fair offers local food, fresh seafood stalls from famous restaurants

of the town, OTOP products, local food for health, cooking contest by junior chefs, and art and cultural stage performances by famous artists. For more information, please contact the Surat Thani Chamber of Commerce at Tel. 0 7721 6721.

Ko Samui Midnight Run (งานแข่งขันวิ่ง เกาะสมุย มิดไนท์ รัน) take place in March by the Thai Hotels Association and Tourism Association of Ko Samui, and is a running competition for 5-kilometre and 10-kilometre distances at the beach road of Hat Chaweng. The revenue from the running fest will be donated to charity.

Ko Tao Festival (งานเปิดโลกใต้ทะเล เกาะเต่า) is held in March at Hat Sai Ri with the aim of creating consciousness and participation in the natural resourced conservation. The activities include planting reefs, collecting debris under the sea, a conservation exhibition by communities and related agencies, learning how to dive eco-friendly, and music performance.

Samui Coconut Festival (มหกรรมมะพร้าว ชาวสมุย) organised in March at the Central Festival Samui to promote tourism and make tourist recognise the wide range of benefits of coconuts, a symbol of Ko Samui. The Festival includes coconut made products and souvenirs with the way of the community's life, showcase of coconut products for tourism, and food, beauty and health merchandise from coconuts.

Ko Pha-ngan Colour Moon Festival (งานพระจันทร์หลากสีที่พะงัน) is held in April at the Thong Sala Port, Ko Pha-ngan, as an invitation for tourists to know Pha naan in new perspective, as well as, to receive energy from the moon for 5 days and nights. The Festival aims at pub-



Surat Thani Food Fair

licising the attractions in the community and the community's original traditions. There are also exhibitions, performances, a photo contest, showcase of the Pha-ngan arts and crafts, local handiworks on sale, a fireball show, and Thai boxing show. For more information, please contact the Ko Pha-ngan Hotels Association at Tel. 0 7737 7815.

Samui Regatta (งานแข่งขันเรือใบ สมุยรีกัตต้า) taking place in May at Hat Chaweng is yacht racing with competitions from more than 20 countries to promote the tourism attractions of Ko Samui and generate revenue to the local community.

Chak Phra Festival and Surat Thani Boat Races (ประเพณีชักพระทอดผ้าป่าและแข่งเรือยาว) is held on the end of Buddhist Lent Day (the first day of the waning moon the 11th lunar month) at the embarkment of the Tapi River. The main activity that people in the city join is they will prepare more than 1,000 Pha Pa trees and arrange the parade of Buddha images floats from more than 100 temples. Other activities also include a contest of Pha Pa tree decorations, car floats, boat races, handicraft demonstrations and local product stalls.

Na San Rambutan Fair (งานวันเงาะโรงเรียน นาสาร) is held during July at the bank of Kh-long Chawang, Na San City Municipality. The Fair features an agricultural exhibition and sells rambutan harvest and other agricultural products as well as Rambutan Beauty Contest.

LOCAL PRODUCTS

Chaiya Salted Eggs (ไข่เค็มไชยา) is a famous product of Amphoe Chaiya, the people of Chaiya mostly raised ducks, and there were so



Chak Phra Festival

many eggs in the market that they were sold cheaply. Therefore, the people tried to preserve the eggs. As a result, they found a way to make salted eggs. The salted eggs here are fresh and delicious, without a fishy taste like duck eggs in general.

Phumriang Silk Cloth (ผ้าไหมพุมเรียง) in Tambon Phumriang, Amphoe Chaiya. Silk cloth-weaving is the handiwork of Thai-Muslim villagers. Silk threads are ordered from Bangkok to be woven by the villagers using a local shuttle loom called Ki Kratok. Most woven patterns include Lai Ratchawat, Lai Dok Phikun, Lai Noppakao, and Lai Yok Bet, which have been inherited from the forebears who wove the fabric for nobles in the past. New patterns have been developed to meet the market demand.

Tha Krachai Woven-cloth (ผ้าทอท่ากระจ่าย) originated from the weaving of cloth for household use. It was later developed to have various patterns which are beautiful, unique, and fashionable. The fabric was the winner of the OTOP Award of the Southern Region in 2003.

Para-rubber Leaf Butterflies (ผีเสื้อใบยางพารา) are products made from falling leaves of Para-rubber trees, a cash crop of the South. After being bleached, the beautiful leaves will be made into different forms of souvenirs; such as, butterflies, flowers, etc.

Bulrush Wickerwork (ผลิตภัณฑ์จักสานจากกระจูด) are made from bulrush which is commonly found in Tha Sathon. The forebears brought it to weave a mat. Later, bulrush was transformed by local wisdom into various products. The village of Tha Sathon was selected as a handicraft village in 2002. Its bulrush products are popular locally and overseas.

Kalamae (กะละแม) is a traditional dessert with coconut milk as the main ingredient. Ko Samui is rich in coconut trees. The sweet is made and sold locally. Its sweet and creamy taste plus freshness make it popular and suitable for a souvenir.

Oysters (หอยนางรม) in Tambon Kadae, Amphoe Kanchanadit. Since the location is next to the mouth of the river, oysters abound here. A number of oyster farms are found in the Ban Don bay area. The oysters here are clean, large, and delicious. They are healthy food, and are mostly eaten fresh, or added to an omelette.

Processed Seafood Products (ผลิตภัณฑ์อาหารทะเลแปรรูป) in Amphoe Don Sak. The dis-

trict of Don Sak is located on the Gulf of Thailand coast which is rich in fresh food from the sea. The villagers here have processed seafood into products; such as, seasoned fish, flossy fish, seasoned squid, salted fish viscera, shrimp paste, dried shrimp, dried squid, etc., which are easy for eating and keeping.

Coconut Wooden Products (ผลิตภัณฑ์ไม้มะพร้าว) are souvenirs and utensils made from coconut wood; such as, bowls, plates, cups, sets of coffee cups, etc., which are beautiful, solid, and durable.

SOUVENIRS SHOP

Amphoe Mueang Surat Thani

Roi Ko Center By pass Road, Tambon Makham Tia, open 7.00 a.m.-7.00 p.m. Tel. 09 1825 6138

Amphoe Phunphin

Rattana Kanomthai in front of Suan Saran Rom Hospital, Tambon Tha kham. Tel. 0 7724 0545

Tha Sathon Bulrush Wickerwork Group

Ban Bo Krang, Tambon Tha Sathon. Tel. 08 1892 4677, 08 926 1175

Amphoe Tha Chang

Mae Jit Tel. 08 1415 1336, 08 1958 9651

Amphoe Chaiya

Jutima (Chaiya Salted Eggs) Tambon lamed Tel. 0 7743 1543, 08 1569 5220

Wanna Silk (Phumriang Silk Cloth) Tel. 0 7743 1359

Amphoe Tha Chana

Tha Krachai Cloth-weaving Group

Tel. 0 7738 1395

SUGGESTED ITINERARY

Programme 1

Rajjaprabha Dam-Surat Thani 3 days 2 nights

Day 1

- 8.00 a.m. Depart from Donmueang Airport to Surat Thani Airport
- 11.00 a.m. Depart for *Rajjaprabha Dam* in Amphoe Ban Ta Khun.
- 2.00 p.m. Arrive at the Rajjaprabha Dam.
- 3.00 p.m. Take a boat ride to the raft.
- 5.00 p.m. Enjoy swimming, boating and relaxing
- 6.00 p.m. Stay overnight in Rajjaprabha Dam.

Day 2

- 9.00 a.m. Take a boat ride to sightseeing the scenery of undulated limestone mountain ranges that are so stunning that it is called "*Kui Lin of Thailand*"
- 11.30 a.m. Continue to *Khao Thap Phithak Bridge* with the spectacular back ground of the heats-shaped mountain.
- 3.00 p.m. Visit *Khlong Nam Sai*, Amphoe Khiri Rat Nikhom
- 5.00 p.m. Stay overnight in Amphoe Phunphin.

Day 3

- 8.00 a.m. Depart for Amphoe Mueang Surat Thani to *Ecotourism Bang Bai Mai Community*
- 10.00 a.m. Take a boat ride to sightseeing the abundance of nature.
- 12.00 p.m. Enjoy shopping at *Talat Nam Pracharat Bang Bai Mai*
- 3.00 p.m. Return to Surat Thani Airport.
- 6.00 p.m. Arrive at Donmueang Airport.

Programme 2

(Ko Samui-Donsak-Mueang Surat Thani)

Day 1

- 8.00 a.m. Depart from Donmueang Airport to Surat Thani Airport
- 11.30 a.m. Take a ferry from Donsak Pier to Ko Samui.
- 3.00 p.m. Arrive at *Ko Samui*, Pay homage at *Wat Phra Yai*.
- 5.00 a.m. Visit walking street and stay overnight in Ko Samui

Day 2

- 8.00 a.m. Take a boat ride to *Muko Angthong National Park*, sightseeing at Ko Wua Ta Lap and Talay Nai.
- 4.00 p.m. Return to Ko Samui, visit *Hin Ta Hin Yai* at Hat Lamai.
- 6.00 p.m. Relax and stay overnight in Ko Samui.

Day 3

- 8.00 a.m. Depart from Ko Samui to Don Sak Pier.
- 11.00 a.m. Visit *Ban Nang Kam*
- 11.30 a.m. Take boat trip to watching hump-back dolphin.
- 4.00 p.m. Return to Amphoe Mueang Surat Thani.
- 6.00 p.m. Enjoy the evening atmosphere by taking a boat ride from Tapi River embarkment for sightseeing sparkling and glittering fireflies.

Day 4

- 9.00 a.m. Depart from hotel to *Ecotourism Bang Bai Mai Community*
- 11.00 a.m. Take a boat ride to sightseeing the abundance of nature.
- 2.00 p.m. Return to Surat Thani Airport
- 8.00 p.m. Arrive at Donmueang Airport.

ACCOMMODATION

(Note: The room rates mentioned in this brochure may be changed without notice. Please ask for current information from each hotel before making reservation)

Amphoe Mueang Surat Thani

4 Heart Loft House (เฟิร์ ฮาร์ท ลอฟ เฮาส์) 108/57 Mu. 5, Tambon Bang Kung, Tel. 09 2264 9049, 400-520 Baht.

B Boutique Residence (บี บูติก เรซิดენซ์) 234/40 Chon Kasem Raod, Soi 36, Tambon Makham Tie, Tel. 0 7721 8988, 0 7728 1989, 500-1,200 Baht.

BJ (บีเจ) Don Nok Road, Tambon Talat, Tel. 0 7721 7410-3, Fax. 0 7721 7414, 72 rooms: 590-800 Baht.

Ban Jong Buri (บรรจงบุรี) 83/34 Mu 3 Liang Mueang Road, Tambon Makam Tie, Tel. 0 7726 4888, 180 rooms: 690-1,500 Baht.

Bang Yai Buri Resort (บางใหญ่ บุรี รีสอร์ท) 163/12 Mu 1 Soi Siri Chai 21, Sri Wichai Road, Tambon Makam Tie, Tel. 0 7740 5957-9, 08 1893 5878, 10 rooms: 600-800 Baht.

Be Fine Sabuy Hotel and Resort (บี ไฟน์ สบาย โฮเทล แอนด์ รีสอร์ท) 49/3 Mu. 8, Tambon Wat Pradu, Tel. 0 7727 0992, 09 4172 2383, 41 rooms: 450-950 Baht.

CBD Hotel (ซี บี ดี โฮเทล) 428/8 Tambon Talat, Tel. 0 7728 1999, 60 rooms: 690-1450 Baht.

Chichotel (ชิล โฮเทล) 3/66 Tambon Talat Tel. 0 7720 6430, 17 rooms: 490-790 Baht.

Comet Hotel (โคเมท โฮเทล) 9/158 Mu. 5 Vibhavadi Road, Tambon Makham Tie, Tel. 0 7728 8665, 09 5016 5596 www.comethotelsurat.com, 60 rooms: 1,295-1,950 Baht.

Diamond Plaza (ไดมอนด์พลาซ่า) 83/27 Mu 2, Siwichai Road, Tambon Makam Tie, Tel. 0 7727 7299, 400 rooms: 1,300-3,200 Baht.

Grand Thara (แกรนด์ ทารา) 1/144 Don Nok

Road, Tambon Talat, Tel. 0 7727 3740-3, 08 4581 3025, 170 rooms: 500-1,000 Baht.

Hip Box 26 Boutique Resort (ฮิพ บ็อก ๒๖ บูติก รีสอร์ท) 103/79 Mu. 2, Tambon Makham Tie, Tel. 0 7728 1667, 33 rooms: 390-1,200 Baht.

Hop Inn Surat Thani (ฮ็อพ อินน์ สุราษฎร์ธานี) 5/123 Mu 3, Soi Suchon 1, Liang Mueang, Tel. 0 7743 7099 www.hopinnhotel.com, 600 Baht.

K Park Grand Hotel (เค พาร์ค แกรนด์ โฮเทล) 99/99 Kanchanawitee Road, Tel. 0 7721 3700-5, 08 2423 0491 www.kparkgrand.com: 1,500-3,800 Baht.

Keaw Samui Resort (แก้วสมุย รีสอร์ท) 126/29-30 Mu 6, Liang Mueang Road, Tambon Makam Tie, Tel. 0 7721 9456, Fax. 0 7760 0674 www.kaewsamui.com, 69 rooms: 890-1,500 Baht.

Lee Hotel Suratthani (ลี โฮเทล สุราษฎร์ธานี) 58/88 Mu. 2 Sriwichai Road, Tambon Makham Tie, Tel. 0 7722 0267-8, 690-1,490 Baht.

Like Residence (ไลก์ เรซิดენซ์) Wat Ohi-Bang Mai Road Nai Luek Road, Soi 35, Tambon Makham Tie, Tel. 0 7728 8877, 08 0372 0909 www.likeresidence.com, 38 rooms: 600 Baht.

Nipa Garden (นิปา การ์เดน) 83/25 Mu 3, Liang Mueang Road, Tambon Makam Tie, Tel. 0 7740 5790-5 Fax. 0 7727 5051, 158 rooms: 490-590 Baht.

Orchid Riverview Hotel (ออคิดส์ ริวิว โฮเทล) 37/9 Nai Bang Road, Tambon Talat, Tel. 0 7738 0666, 09 1168 2000, 890-1090 Baht.

Paragon Homtel (พารากอน โฮเทล) 188-218 Mu.1, Tambon Wat Pradu, Tel. 0 7796 0984-5, 09 4595 2251 www.paragonhometel.com, 70 room: 1,500-3,000 Baht.

Princess Park (ปรินเซสพาร์ค) 19/19, Liang Mueang Road, Tambon Makam Tie, Tel. 0 7740 5989-992, www.princessparkhotel.com, 70 rooms: 500-600 Baht.

Rajthani Hotel (ราชธานี) 293/96-98 Talat Mai 1 Road, Tel. 0 7727 2143, 0 7727 3584, 0 7728 7639 Fax. 0 7728 7638, www.rajthanihotel.com,

105 rooms: 280-490 Baht.

Roi Koh Hotel (โรงแรมร้อยเกาะ) opposite Tesco Lotus, 19/6 Mu 3 Liang Mueang Road, Tambon Makam Tie, Tel. 0 7720 1150-8, www.100islandsresort.com, 174 rooms: 770-1,500 Baht.

Sabye D Resort (สบายดี โฮเทล) 37/2 Bangbaimai Road, Tambon Talat, Tel. 09 1820 6400, 500-800 Baht.

Siam Thani (สยามธานี) 180 Siwichai Road, Tambon Makam Tie, Tel. 0 7727 3081 Fax. 0 7728 2169, 215 rooms: 680-1,550 Baht.

Tapi (ตาปี) 100 Mu 5, Chonkasem Road, Tel. 0 7727 2675, 0 7727 2577 Fax. 0 7728 2433, 120 rooms: 550-650 Baht.

The Centrino Hotel Service Residence (เดอะ เซนทริโน โฮเทล เซอร์วิส เรสซิเดนซ์) Soi Si Wichai 55, Tambon Makham Tai, Tel. 0 7720 6655, 0 7720 6633 www.thecentrino.com, 58 rooms: 550-790 Baht.

The One (เดอะ วัน) 118/68 Tha-Thong Road, Tambon Talat, Tel. 0 7721 2111, 107 rooms: 690-790 Baht.

The Rich Residence (เดอะ ริช เรสซิเดนซ์) 83/88 Mu. 3, Liang Mueang Road, Tambon Makham Tai, Tel. 0 7731 0534-7, 590-790 Baht.

Wang Tai (วังไต้) 1 Talat Mai Road, Tambon Talat, Tel. 0 7728 3020-25 Fax. 0 7728 1007, www.wangtaisurat.com 230 rooms: 750-2,500 Baht.

Amphoe Ko Samui

Hat Lamai (หาดละไม)

Aloha Resort (อโลฮา รีสอร์ท) 128 Mu 3, Tel. 0 7742 4014-6, 0 7742 4418, 0 7791 3200-49 Fax. 0 7742 4419 www.alohasamui.com, 74 rooms: 2,400-10,200 Baht.

Amity (อะมิตี) 125/3 Mu 3 Tel. 0 7742 4084 Fax. 0 7723 3192, www.amitybangalow.com, 34 rooms: 400-2,500 Baht.

Ban Yan Tree Samui (บ้าน ยันทรี่ สมุย) 99/9

Mu.4, Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7791 5333 www.banyantree.com 33,800-56,00 Baht.

Beach Republic (บีช รีพับลิค) 176/34 Mu 4 Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7745 8100 www.beachrepublic.com, 39 rooms: 5,100-33,000 Baht.

Beluga Boutique Hotel (บูเรก้า บูติก โฮเทล) 126/92 Mu. 3, Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7731 0710, belugaboutiquehotel.com, 14 rooms: 5,800-7,600 Baht.

Cinnamon Beach Villa (ซินามอน บีช วิลล่า) 199 Mu 4 Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7796 0891-6 www.cinnamonsamui.com 3,100-7,200 Baht.

Coconut Beach Resort (โคโคนัท บีช รีสอร์ท) 124/433 Mu 3 Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7745 8274 Fax. 0 7742 4209, www.coconutbeachsamui.com, 44 rooms: 450-2,900 Baht.

Coral Cliff Beach Resort (คอรอล คลิฟ บีช รีสอร์ท) 210 Mu 4, Tel. 0 7744 8500-3 Fax. 0 7744 8504, www.coralcliffbeachresort.com 79 rooms: 2,000-5,600 Baht.

Golden Sand Beach Resort (โกลเดน แซนด์ บีช รีสอร์ท) 124/2 Mu 3, Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7742 4430, www.goldensand-resort.com, 61 rooms: 1,900-2,700 Baht.

Grand Thai House Resort (แกรนด์ ไทย เฮาส์ รีสอร์ท) 135 Mu 3, Tel. 0 7742 4428, 0 7742 4720-3 Fax. 0 7742 8445, 16 rooms: 1,000-2,800 Baht.

Green Canyon Hip & Cheap Resort (กรีน แคนยอน ฮิป แอนด์ ชีป รีสอร์ท) 127/2 Mu 3 Hat Lamai, Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7742 4292, 14 rooms: 500-1,100 Baht.

Green Villa (กรีน วิลล่า) 127/10 Mu 3 Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7742 4296 Fax. 0 7741 9083, 14 rooms: 500-800 Baht.

Holiday Park (ฮอลิเดย์ ปาร์ค) 124/25 Mu 3 Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7723 2293, 50 rooms: 800-1,850 Baht.

Kamalaya Ko Samui (คามาลายา เกาะสมุย) 102/9 Mu 3, Laem Set Road, Tambon Na Mueang, Tel. 0 7742 9800 Fax. 0 7742 9899, www.

kamalaya.com, 66 rooms : 6,900-40,100 Baht.

Lamai Bay View Resort (ละไม เบย์วิว รีสอร์ท) 1/1 Mu 4, Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7745 8778, 08 6478 3715, 08 1816 2138 www.bayviewsamui.com, 26 rooms: 1,000-4,000 Baht.

Lamai Buri Resort (ละไม บุรี รีสอร์ท) 26/69 Mu 3, Tambon Maret, Tel. 08 2499 6696, 0 7742 4275-6 www.lamaiburiresort.com, 60 rooms: 1,200-4,000 Baht.

Lamai Chalet (ละไม ชาเลต์) 127/9 Mu 3, Tel. 0 7742 4654, www.lamai-chalets.com, 15 rooms: 400-2,600 Baht.

Lamai Coconut Resort (ละไม โคconut รีสอร์ท) 124/4 Mu 3, Tel. 0 7723 3236, 0 7723 2169 www.lamaicoconutresort.com, 30 rooms: 1,300-2,500 Baht.

Lamai Inn (ละไม อินน์) 109/11 Mu 3, Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7742 4427, 0 7742 4212, www.lamaiinn.com, 80 rooms: 1,900-5,200 Baht.

Lamai Wanta (ละไม วันทา) 127/264 Mu 3, Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7742 4550 www.lamaiwanta.com, 68 rooms: 1,500-3,800 Baht.

Marina Villa (มารีน่า วิลล่า) 124 Mu 3, Tel. 0 7742 4426, 0 7741 8897, 41 rooms: 1,200-2,000 Baht.

Mercure Ko Samui Beach Resort (เมอร์เคียว เกาะสมุย บีช รีสอร์ท) 26/1-3 Mu. 3, Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7742 4008, 52 rooms: 1,900-5,000 Baht.

Palm Coco Mantra Resort (ปาล์ม โคโค มंत्रา) 143/11 Mu.4, Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7745 9817, 0 7745 8719 www.palmcoco.com 2,000 Baht.

Pavilion Samui Boutique Resort (พาวิลเลียน สมุย บูติค รีสอร์ท) 124/24 Mu 3, Tel. 0 7742 4030, www.pavillionsamui.com, 70 rooms: 6,000-18,000 Baht.

Renaissance Ko Samui Resort & Spa (เรเนซองส์ เกาะสมุย รีสอร์ท แอนด์ สปา) 208/1 Mu 4, Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7742 9300 www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/usmbr-renaissance-koh-samui-resort-and-spa, 78 rooms: 5,900-12,200 Baht.

Rich Resort Samui (ริช รีสอร์ท สมุย) 109/12

Mu 3 Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7742 4208, 08 7271 0445, www.richresortsamui.com, 50 rooms: 480-2,000 Baht.

Rocky Boutique Resort (ร็อกกี้ รีสอร์ท) 438/1 Mu 1 Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7723 3020-1 www.rockyresort.com, 50 rooms: 8,300-23,800 Baht.

Royal Blue Lagoon Beach Resort (รอยัล บลู ลากูน บีช รีสอร์ท) 208/1 Mu 4, Tel. 0 7742 4095 17 rooms: 1,800-4,000 Baht.

Royal Cottage (รอยัล ค็อตเทจ) 101/21 Mu 3, Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7741 9016, 08 3963 5449 www.royalcottage.com, 14 rooms: 1,300-5,500 Baht.

Rummana Boutique Resort (รุ่มมะนา บูติค รีสอร์ท) 124/10 Mu 3 Rop Ko Road, Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7741 8418, 0 7742 4432, 0 7742 4027 www.rummanaresort.com, 40 rooms: 5,000-14,000 Baht.

Samui Garden Home (สมุย การ์ดเดน โฮม) 97/11 Mu 1, Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7742 4644, 08 6884 7495, www.samuigardenhome.com, 22 rooms: 5,000-14,000 Baht.

Samui Laguna Resort (สมุย ลากูน่า รีสอร์ท) 124/103 Mu 3 Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7742 4215, 0 7723 3280-3, www.samuilaguna.com, 63 rooms: 1,500 Baht.

Samui Orchid Resort (สมุย ออร์คิด รีสอร์ท) 33/2 Mu 2 Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7742 4017-8 www.samuiorchid.com, 60 rooms: 1,200-6,000 Baht.

Sandal Wood Luxury Villas (แซนด์วูดลักซิวรี วิลลาร์) 211/7 Mu 4, Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7744 8982, 08 5782 9708 Fax. 0 7744 8983, www.sandalwoodsamui.com, 10 villas: 5,730-16,500 Baht.

Sand Sea Resort & Spa (แซนด์ ซี รีสอร์ท แอนด์ สปา) 155 Mu 4, Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7742 4026, 0 7723 1127 Fax. 0 7742 4415, www.samuisand-sea.com, 49 rooms: 1,600-9,000 Baht.

Sarocha Villa (สโรชา วิลล่า) 438/76 Mu 1, Tel. 0 7741 9247-8 Fax. 0 7741 9247, 14 rooms:

1,200-2,600 Baht.

Sea Breeze Bungalow (ซีบริส บังกะโล) 124/3 Mu 3, Rop Ko Road, Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7742 4258 Fax. 0 7723 2173, 48 rooms: 400-2,000 Baht.

Sea View Paradise (ซีวิว พาราไดซ์) 206/1 Mu 4 Tambon Maret, Tel. 08 1956 2184 Fax. 0 7723 0896, www.thaiseaviewparadise.com, 16 rooms: 2,200-7,900 Baht.

Silver Beach Resort (ซิลเวอร์ บีช รีสอร์ท) 124/4 Mu 4, Tel. 0 7744 8542 Fax. 0 7745 8417, 35 rooms: 700-2,700 Baht.

Samui Beverly Hills (สมุย เบเวอร์ลี่ ฮิลล์) 211 Mu 4, Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7742 2232, 0 7741 3213 Fax. 0 7742 2232, 16 rooms: 2,800-3,600 Baht.

Sunrise Bungalow (ซันไรส์ บังกะโล) 126/2 Mu 3 Soi Hin Ta-Hin Yai, Tel. 0 7742 4433 Fax. 0 7742 4057, www.sunrisebungalow.com, 21 rooms: 500-3,000 Baht.

Thai House Beach Resort (ไทย เฮาส์ บีช รีสอร์ท) 131 Mu 3, Tel. 0 7741 8006, 0 7733 2542-3 www.thaihousebeach-resort.com, 60 rooms: 3,795-7,950 Baht.

The Kala Samui (เดอะคาลา สมุย) 210/8 Mu 4, Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7744 8515, www.thekala-samui.com, 38 rooms: 5,100-21,000 Baht.

The Spa Resort (เดอะสปา) 71/7 Mu 3, Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7723 0985, 0 7723 0986, 06 2831 8888 www.thesparesorts.com, 63 rooms: 700-3,500 Baht.

Utopia Resort (ยูโทเปีย รีสอร์ท) 124/105 Mu 3 Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7741 8173, 08 8244 2629 www.utoopia-samui.com, 30 rooms: 1,200-2,000 Baht.

Visit Resort (วิสิทรี รีสอร์ท) 129/1 Mu 3, Tel. 0 7723 2372 Fax. 0 7741 9326, www.visitresort.com, 16 rooms: 800-1,000 Baht.

Warinda Garden Resort (วรินดา การ์เดน รีสอร์ท) 82/3 Mu 3 Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7741 8956, 08 7340 8693, www.varindasamui.com, 45 rooms: 2,000-5,000 Baht.

Weekender Resort (วีคเอนเดอร์ รีสอร์ท) 124/19 Mu 3 Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7742 4429, 0 7742 4012 www.weekenderresort.com, 149 rooms: 1,200-3,800 Baht.

Hat Thong Sala (หาดทองศาลา)

Dakanda villa Beach Resort (ดากานดา วิลล่า บีช รีสอร์ท) 19 Mu. 1 Hat BanTai, Tambon Bantai Tel. 0 7742 3731, 09 3350 7488, 08 2800 9896 www.dakandaresort.com 65 rooms: 600-4,500 Baht.

B 52 Beach Resort (บี 52 บีช รีสอร์ท) 31/22 Mu. 1 Sankhao Road, Ban Thong Sala Thai Tel. 0 7737 8927 www.b2resort.com 23 rooms: 800-4,500 Baht.

Ban Bussaba (บ้านบุษบา) 150/6 Mu. 1, Tambon Ko Pha-ngan Tel. 0 7737 7181, 18 rooms: 2,200 Baht.

Ban Manali Resort (บ้านมานาลิ) 210/20 Mu. 1 Tambon Ko Pha-ngan Tel. 0 7737 8917 www.baanmanali-resort.com 15 rooms: 1,100-2,000 Baht.

Lime and Soda Beachfront (ไลม์ เอ็น โซดา บีชฟรอนท์ รีสอร์ท) 31/10 Mu. 1, Thong Sala Tel. 0 7723 9520, 0 7733 2721 www.limeso-dathailand.com 800-1,800 Baht.

Man Grove Villa (แมน กรอฟ วิลล่า) 133 Mu. 1, Thong Sala, Tel. 0 7737 7001 www.man-grovephangan.com 10 rooms: 1,200-3,500 Baht.

Phan-ngan Island View Hotel (ฟังกา ไอซ์แลนด์วิว โฮเทล) 219 Mu. 1, Tambon Ko Pha-ngan, Tel. 0 7737 7877, 44 rooms: 1,000-4,500 Baht.

Hat Thong Takhian (หาดทองตะเคียน)

Crystal Bay Resort (คริสตัล เบย์ รีสอร์ท) 205 Mu 4, Tambon Maret, Tel. 09 3832 7229 www.crystalbaykohsamui.com, 24 rooms: 1,400-6,000 Baht.

The Kala Samui (เดอะคาลา สมุย) 210/8 Mu 4, Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7744 8515 www.thekala-

samui.com 38 rooms: 3,700-12,000 Baht.

Hat Chaweng (หาดเจว่ง)

Al's Resort (แอล รีสอร์ท) 200 Mu 2, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7730 0561-2, 0 7723 1650 Fax. 0 7723 0756, 0 7723 1654, www.alsresortsamui.com, 92 rooms: 3,500-6,500 Baht.

Ban Chaweng Beach Resort & Spa (บ้านเจว่ง บีช รีสอร์ท แอนด์ สปา) 90/1 Mu 2 Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7730 0565-6 www.baanchaweng-beachresort.com, 92 rooms: 3,500-10,000 Baht.

Ban Samui Resort (บ้านสมุย รีสอร์ท) 14/7 Mu 2 Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7723 0531-6, www.baansamuiresort-online.com, 79 rooms: 3,000-5,500 Baht.

Banana Fansea Resort (บานาน่า แฟนซี รีสอร์ท) 201 Mu 2, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7741 3483-4 Fax. 0 7741 3487, www.bananafanseas.com, 73 rooms: 3,500-12,000 Baht.

Ban Suan Suk Resort (บ้านสวนสุข รีสอร์ท) 147/7 Mu 2 Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7723 0817 Fax. 0 7723 0816, www.baansuansook.com, 15 rooms: 900-2,200 Baht.

Ban Talay Resort (บ้านทะเล รีสอร์ท) 17/36 Mu 3, Tel. 0 7741 3555-8 Fax. 0 7741 3557, www.baantalay.com, 45 rooms: 3,500-8,000 Baht.

Centara Grand Beach Resort Samui (เซ็นทาราแกรนด์ บีช รีสอร์ท สมุย) 38/2 Mu 3 Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7723 0500 Fax. 0 7742 2385, www.centarahotelsresorts.com 166 rooms: 6,700-23,069 Baht.

Chaba Cabana Beach Resort & Spa (เจว่ง คาบาน่า บีช รีสอร์ท แอนด์ สปา) 160 Mu 2, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7723 1350-6 Fax. 0 7723 0771 www.chabagroup.com, 80 rooms: 2,300-9,400 Baht.

Chaba Samui Resort (ชบา สมุย รีสอร์ท) 19 Mu 2, Tel. 0 7733 2593-9 Fax. 0 7730 0528, www.chabagroup.com, 93 rooms: 4,100-6,600 Baht.

Chaweng Buri Resort (เจว่งบุรี รีสอร์ท) 14/6 Mu 2 Tel. 0 7730 0693, www.chawengburi.com, 117

rooms: 3,290-9,000 Baht.

Chaweng Blue Lagoon (เจว่ง บลู ลากูน) 99 Mu 2 Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7730 0223-6 Fax. 0 7730 0227, www.chawengbluelagoon.com, 69 rooms: 3,000-8,000 Baht.

Chaweng Bay View Resort (เจว่ง เบย์วิว รีสอร์ท) 9/39 Mu 2, Tel. 0 7730 0230 www.chawengbayview.com, 18 rooms: 1,200-2,500 Baht.

Chaweng Chalet (เจว่ง ชาเลต์) 119/19 Mu 2, Tel. 0 7723 0777 Fax. 0 7741 3731, 0 7723 0777, 25 rooms: 800-1,500 Baht.

Chaweng Cove Resort (เจว่ง คัฟ รีสอร์ท) 17/4 Mu 3 Hat Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7742 2509 Fax. 0 7723 0642, 0 7742 2174, www.chawengcove.com, 73 rooms: 2,000-4,000 Baht.

Chaweng Garden Beach (เจว่ง การ์เดนท์ บีช) 162/8 Mu 2, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7723 0993, Fax. 0 7723 0993, 0 7723 0111, www.chaweng-garden.com, 146 rooms: 2,500-30,000 Baht.

Chaweng Regent Beach Resort (เจว่ง รีเจนท์ บีช รีสอร์ท) 155/4 Mu 2 Tel. 0 7730 0200-4, www.chawengregent.com, 140 rooms: 5,500-14,000 Baht.

Cosi Samui Chaweng Beach (โคซี่ สมุย เจว่ง บีช) 209/1-2 Mu 2, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7743 0123 www.centarahotelresort.com 150 rooms: 1,500-3,500 Baht.

Dara Samui Resort & Spa (ดาราสมุย รีสอร์ท แอนด์ สปา) 162/2 Mu 2 Tel. 0 7723 1323-7 Fax. 0 7723 1328, www.darasamui.com, 70 rooms: 3,000-20,000 Baht.

J4 Samui Hotel (เจ ๔ สมุย ไฮเทล) 162/222 Mu 2, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 08 3635 9235 www.j4-samui.chaweng-hotels.com, 32 rooms: 1,400-3,000 Baht.

K.C Beach Club and Pool Villa (เค.ซี บีช คลับ แอนด์ พูล วิลล่า) 11/9 Mu 2, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7791 5155 www.kchotelsresorts.com 42 rooms: 4,000-25,000 Baht.

Le Murraya Resort (เลอ เมอรายา รีสอร์ท)

89/9 Mu 3, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7741 4558-61
www.lemurraya.com, 39 rooms: 3,000-10,000 Baht.

Montien House (มอนเทียร์ เฮาส์)

5 Mu 2, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 773 0505, 08 1370 1690 www.montienhouse.com, 72 rooms: 2,500-7,000 Baht.

Nora Buri Resort and Spa (นอราบุรี รีสอร์ท แอนด์ สปา)

111 Mu 5, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7791 3555, www.noraburiresort.com, 144 rooms: 6,000-23,000 Baht.

Novotel Samui Resort Chaweng Beach

Kandaburi (โนวเทล สมุย รีสอร์ท เจวeng บีช กานบุรี)

20 Mu 2, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7742 8888 www.novotel-samui-resort-chaweng.com 183 rooms: 5,000-10,000 Baht.

Ozo Chaweng Samui (โอ โซ เจวeng)

11/34 Mu 2, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7791 5200 www.ozohotels.com/chaweng-samui 208 rooms: 3,100-5,600 Baht.

Papillon Resort (ปาปิลลอน รีสอร์ท)

159/3 Mu 2, Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7724 2420 Fax. 0 7723 1169, 0 7723 1551, www.papilionsamui.com, 90 rooms: 3,500 Baht.

Ploen Chaweng Samui (พลิน เจวeng สมุย)

37/90-1 Mu 3, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7741 4322-3 www.ploenhôtels.com/samui 24 rooms: 1,500-4,000 Baht.

Poppies Resort (ป๊อปปี้ รีสอร์ท)

28/1 Mu 3, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7742 2418-9 Fax. 0 7742 2420, www.poppysamui.com, 14 rooms: 6,500-12,750 Baht.

Queen Boutique Hotel (ควีน บูติก โฮเทล)

46/9 Mu 3 Tel. 0 7741 3148 www.queenboutiquehotel.com 16 rooms: 850-1,690 Baht.

Samui First House (สมุย เฟิร์ส เฮาส์)

4 Mu 3, Tel. 0 7741 4429 Fax. 0 7741 3755 www.samui-firsthouse.com, 100 rooms: 3,000-4,000 Baht.

Samui Island Beach Resort (สมุย ไอส์แลนด์ บีช รีสอร์ท)

154/3 Mu 2 Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7742

2335-6, 0 7723 1318 Fax. 0 7723 1317 www.samuiislandresort.com, 55 rooms: 2,000-5,000 Baht.

Samui Paradise Chaweng (สมุย พาราไดซ์ เจวeng)

49 Mu 3 Tel. 0 7795 0584-5 Fax. 0 7742 2176 www.samui paradise.com, 43 rooms: 3,500-15,000 Baht.

Sans Souci Samui (ซง ซูซี่ สมุย)

4/4 Mu 3 Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7742 2044-5, 0 7723 0829-30 Fax. 0 7742 2045, 15 rooms: 2,200-5,300 Baht.

Synergy Samui Resort (ซินเนอร์จี)

155/3 Mu 2 Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7730 0435, 30 rooms: 5,000-15,000 Baht.

The Briza Beach Samui (เดอะ บริซซา บีช รีสอร์ท สมุย)

173/22 Mu 2, Tel. 0 7723 1997 Fax. 0 7723 1990, www.thebriza.com, 81 rooms: 3,500-15,000 Baht.

The Library (เดอะ โลบรารี่)

14/1 Mu 2, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7742 2768 Fax: 0 7742 2767-8, www.thelibrary.com, 46 rooms: 13,295-80,000 Baht.

The Samui Beach Resort

17/123 Mu 3, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7742 3666-8 www.thesamuibeachresort.com 3,300-29,000 Baht.

Trade Winds Cottage (เทรดวินด์ ค็อตเทจ)

17/14 Mu 3, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7741 4293 www.tradewindsbylawana.com, 27 rooms: 2,500-6,900 Baht.

Hat Chaweng Noi (หาดเจวengน้อย)

Chaweng Noi Pool Villa (เจวeng น้อย พูล วิลล่า)

4/20 Mu 3, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7731 0641 www.chawengnoipoolvilla.com 52 rooms: 1,600-20,000 Baht.

Impiana Resort Samui (อิมเปียน่า รีสอร์ท สมุย)

91/2-3 Mu 3, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7744 8994-9, www.impiana.com.my, 96 rooms: 2,500-20,000 Baht.

New Star Beach Resort (นิว สตาร์ บีช รีสอร์ท)

83 Mu 3, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7742 2407, 0 7741 4500 www.newstarresort.com, 74 rooms:

8,000-19,000 Baht.

The Fair House Beach Resort (เดอะ แฟร์ เฮ้าส์ รีสอร์ท) 124-124/1-2 Mu 3, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7742 2255-6, 0 7723 0463-4 www.fair-housesamui.com, 172 rooms: 2,500-2,800 Baht.

The Sarann (เดอะ สราญ) 95-96 Mu 3, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7744 8540, 49 rooms: 4,000-18,000 Baht.

Sheraton Samui Resort (เชอราตัน สมุย รีสอร์ท) 86 Mu 3, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7742 2020 www.sheratonsamui.com 141 rooms: 4,600-13,000 Baht.

Hat Bo Phut (หาดบ่อผุด)

Anan Tara Resort & Spa (อนันตารา รีสอร์ท แอนด์ สปา) 99/9 Mu 1, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7742 8300-9 Fax. 0 7742 8310 www.anantara.com, 106 rooms, 20 Villas: 6,000-24,000 Baht.

Baan Bo Phut Hotel & Resort (บ้านบ่อผุด โฮเทล แอนด์ รีสอร์ท) 6/9 Mu 1, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7733 2708, www.baanbophut.com, 13 rooms: 2,000-4,000 Baht.

Ban Dara Resort & Spa (บันดารา รีสอร์ท แอนด์ สปา) 178/2 Mu 1 Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7724 5795 Fax. 0 7742 7336, www.bandarasamui.com, 168 rooms: 5,800-10,000 Baht.

Bo Phut Resort & Spa (บ่อผุด รีสอร์ท แอนด์ สปา) 12/12 Mu 1, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7724 5777 Fax. 0 7724 5776 www.bophutresort.com, 61 rooms: 6,500-22,000 Baht

Celes Beach Front Resort (เชเลส บีชฟรอนท์ รีสอร์ท) 175/3 Mu 1, Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7742 5494-5 www.cwlesresorts.com, 68 rooms: 4,000-20,000 Baht.

Coconut Calm Beach (โคโคนัท คาล์ม บีช) 180 Mu 1, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7742 7558, 0 7742 5965, 12 rooms: 700-1,000 Baht.

Hill Side Village (ฮิลล์ไซด์ วิลเลจ) 123/123 Mu 1, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7748 4567 www.samuihillsidevillage.com, 14 rooms: 790-990 Baht.

Lawana Resort (ลาวาน่า รีสอร์ท) 180/10 Mu 1, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7742 5631-3 Fax. 0 7742 5634, www.lawanaresort.com, 40 rooms: 900-4,000 Baht.

Peace Resort (พีซ รีสอร์ท) 178 Mu 1 Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7742 5357 Fax. 0 7742 7063 www.peaceresort.com, 122 rooms: 3,300-21,000 Baht.

Samui Palm Beach Resort (สมุย ปาล์ม บีช รีสอร์ท) 175/3 Thaweerat Pakdee Road, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7742 5494-5, 0 7724 5060-2 Fax. 0 7742 5358 www.samuipalmbeach.com, 129 rooms: 3,150-5,900 Baht.

Smile House Resort (สมายล์ เฮ้าส์ รีสอร์ท) 95 Mu 1 Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7742 5361 Fax. 0 7742 5239, www.smilehousesamui.com, 56 rooms: 1,600-9,000 Baht.

The Lodge (เดอะ ลอดจ์) 91/1 Mu 1, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7742 5337 Fax. 0 7742 7565, www.lodgesamui.com, 10 rooms: 1,300-2,100 Baht.

The Sunday Tropical Resort (เดอะ ซันเดย์ ทropic ปิคอล รีสอร์ท) 165/4 Mu 1, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7743 0515, 08 1829 9045 www.thesundaysresort.com, 20 rooms: 1,800-2,400 Baht.

The Red House (เดอะ เรด เฮ้าส์) 51/8 Mu 1 Tel. 0 7742 5686, 08 1747 3554 www.design-visio.com, 6 rooms: 1,500-2,500 Baht.

Zazen Boutique Resort & Spa (ซาเซิน บูติก รีสอร์ท แอนด์ สปา) 177 Mu 1 Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7742 5085 Fax. 0 7742 5177, www.samuizazen.com, 26 rooms: 3,500-6,000 Baht.

Hat Maenam (หาดแม่่น้ำ)

Adarin Beach Resort (อดาริน บีช รีสอร์ท) 18/1 Mu 1, Tambon Maenam, Tel. 0 7742 5296 www.adarinsamui.com 47 rooms: 1,700-6,000 Baht.

Amarin Victoria Resort (อมาริน วิคตอเรีย รีสอร์ท) 12/71 Mu 1, Tambon Maenam, Tel. 0 7742 5610-5 www.amarinsamuiresort.com, 45 rooms: 1,000-3,000 Baht.

Ban Fa Resort (บ้านฟ้า รีสอร์ท) 129/3-4 Mu 1,

Tambon Maenam, Tel. 0 7742 5675-7 Fax. 0 7742 5678 www.baanfahresort.net, 24 rooms: 1,200-4,000 Baht.

Belmond Napasai (เบลมอนด์ นากาย) 65/10 Mu 5, Ban Tai, Tambon Maenam, Tel. 0 7742 9200 Fax. 0 7742 9201, www.belmond.com, 55 rooms: 6,400-16,500 Baht.

Escape Beach Resort (เอสเคป บีช รีสอร์ท) 5/1 Mu 1, Tambon Maenam, Tel. 0 7742 5405 www.escapesamui.com, 64 rooms: 1,500-15,000 Baht.

Florist Resort (ฟลอริสต์ รีสอร์ท) 190 Mu 1, Tambon Maenam, Tel. 08 6313 7725, 08 8766 0232 Fax. 0 7742 5672, www.floristresort.com, 44 rooms: 1,000-1,500 Baht.

Fair House Villa & Spa (แฟร์เฮาส์ วิลล่า แอนด์ สปา) 39 Mu 1, Tambon Maenam, Tel. 0 7742 9000 Fax. 0 7742 9099, www.fairhousevilla.com, 72 rooms: 3,200-15,000 Baht.

Health Oasis Resort (เฮลท์ โอเอซิส รีสอร์ท) 26/4 Mu 6, Tambon Maenam, Tel. 0 7760 2096 Fax. 0 7760 2098 www.healthoasisresort.com, 30 bungalows: 750-3,500 Baht.

Kwan Beach Resort (ขวัญบีช รีสอร์ท) 67/61 Mu 1, Tambon Maenam, Tel. 06 2565 0796 www.khwanbeachresort.com 16 rooms: 6,000-25,000 Baht.

Lolita Bungalow (โลลิต้า บังกะโล) 151 Mu 1, Tambon Maenam, Tel. 0 7742 5134 Fax. 0 7724 7059, 34 rooms: 800-1,500 Baht.

Mae Nam Resort (แม่นํ้ารีสอร์ท) 1/3 Mu 4, Tel. 0 7724 7286-7 Fax. 0 7742 5116, www.maenamresort.com, 40 rooms: 1,600-3,500 Baht.

Moon Hut Bungalow (มูน ฮัท บังกะโล) 67/2 Mu 1, Tel. 0 7742 5247, www.moonhutsamui.com, 22 rooms: 650-2,150 Baht.

Samui Buri Beach Resort & Spa (สมุยบุรี บีช รีสอร์ท แอนด์ สปา) 26/24 Mu 4, Tel. 0 7744 7275-7 Fax. 0 7744 7281, www.samuiburi.com, 88 rooms: 2,900-3,400 Baht.

Samui Paradise Beach Resort 18/8 Mu 1,

Tambon Maenam, Tel. 0 7724 7227-32 www.samuiparadisebeach.com 93 rooms: 3,150-7,470 Baht.

Santiburi Beach Resort (สันตบุรี บีช รีสอร์ท) 12/12 Mu 1, Tambon Maenam, Tel. 0 7742 5031 Fax. 0 7742 5040, www.santiburisamui.com, 96 rooms: 1,900-47,500 Baht.

Hat Na Thon (หาดหน้าทอน)

Ban Wang Bua (บ้านวังบัว) 212/7 Mu 3, Tambon Ang Thong, Tel. 0 7742 0977, 25 rooms: 450-700 Baht.

Damrong Town Hotel (ดํารง ทาวน์ โฮเต็ล) 394/6 Mu 3 Tambon Ang Thong, Tel. 0 7742 0359, Fax. 0 7742 0336, 25 rooms: 500-800 Baht.

Jinta Residence (จินตา เรสซิเดนซ์) 310/7 Mu 7, Tambon Ang Thong, Tel. 0 7742 0630-1 Fax. 0 7742 0632, www.jinta.com, 37 rooms: 600-750 Baht.

Na Thon Resident (หน้าทอน เรสซิเดนซ์) 257/1-3 Mu 3, Tel. 0 7733 2662 Fax. 0 7723 6058, 25 rooms: 500-650 Baht.

Hat Bang Rak (หาดบางรัก)

Kinnaree Resort (กินรี รีสอร์ท) 73/2 Mu 4, Tel. 0 7724 5111, 14 rooms: 700-1,800 Baht.

Punn Preeda Hip Resort (ปุนรีดา ฮิป รีสอร์ท) 32 Mu 4, Tel. 0 7795 0558 Fax. 0 7724 6155 www.punnpreeda.com, 25 rooms: 1,200-4,000 Baht.

Prana Resort Nandana (พรานา รีสอร์ท นันดานา) 14/3 Mu 4, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7724 6362 www.pranaresorts.com/koh-samui-nandana, 60 rooms: 4,000-14,000 Baht.

Saboey Resort & Villa (สเบย รีสอร์ท แอนด์ วิลล่า) 51/4 Mu 4, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7743 0450, www.saboey.com, 21 rooms: 1,800-4,500 Baht.

Samui Mermaid (สมุย เมอร์เมด) 34/1 Mu 4 Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7796 2630 Fax. 0 7742 5282, www.samui-mermaid.com, 80 rooms: 500-3,000 Baht.

The Nest Samui (เดอะเนสต์ สมุย) 30/33 Mu 4, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 08 7289 3382, www.thenestsamui.com 5 rooms: 1,500-2,000 Baht.

The Privilege Esra Beach Club (เดอะ พรวิเลจ เอชรา บีช คลับ) 5/1 Mu 4, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7795 4094 www.theprivilegehotels.com, 37 rooms: 4,000-12,000 Baht.

The Scent (เดอะเซนท์) 58/1 Mu 4, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7796 2198, 0 7796 0123, www.thescenthotel.com 15 rooms: 6,000-12,000 Baht.

Hat Bang Po (หาดบางปอ)

Bang Po Village (บางปอ วิลเลจ) 73/27 Mu 6, Tambon Maenam, Tel. 08 0139 2875 www.bangporesort.com, 32 rooms: 350-550 Baht.

Code Hotel (โคด โฮเทล) 55/13 Mu 6, Tambon Maenam, Tel. 0 7760 2122 www.samuicode.com, 40 rooms: 4,000-10,000 Baht.

Four Season Resort Samui (โฟร์ ซีซั่น รีสอร์ท สมุย) 219 Mu 5, Tambon Angthong, Tel. 0 7724 3000 www.fourseasons.com, 70 rooms: 18,000-20,000 Baht.

Infinity Resident and Resort (อินฟินิตี้ เรซิเดนซ์ แอนด์ รีสอร์ท) 79/7-10 Mu 6, Tambon Maenam, Tel. 0 7791 4050 www.infinityresidenceresorts.com, 65 rooms: 6,500-35,000 Baht.

My Samui Beach Resort and Spa (มาย สมุย บีช รีสอร์ท) 2/6 Mu 5, Tambon Angthong, Tel. 0 7791 4600-4 www.maisamui.com, 97 rooms: 9,000-36,000 Baht.

Natural Wing Resort & Spa (เนเจอร์ล วิงก์ รีสอร์ท แอนด์ สปา) 11/5 Mu 6 Tambon Maenam, Tel. 0 7760 2111, 08 1968 2796 Fax. 0 7760 2110, www.naturalwing.com, 19 bungalows: 1,500-2,600 Baht.

The Sea Ko Samui Boutique Resort and Residence (เดอะ ซี เกาะสมุย บูติค แอนด์ รีสอร์ท) 9/64 Mu 5, Tambon Maenam, Tel. 0 7796 0567 www.theseasamui.com, 27 rooms: 10,000-15,000 Baht.

Hat Taling Ngam (หาดตลิ่งงาม)

Am Samui Resort (แอม สมุย รีสอร์ท) 39 Mu 3, Tambon Taling Ngam, Tel. 0 7742 3425 www.am-samuieresorts.com, 27 rooms: 1,700-4,200 Baht.

Centra By Centara Coconut Beach Resort Samui (เซ็นทรา บาย เซ็นทารา โคโคนัท สมุย) 114/1 Mu 4, Tambon Taling Ngam, Tel. 0 7727 0670-2 www.centarahotelresorts.com, 55 rooms: 2,500-3,800 Baht.

Conrad Ko Samui Resort and Spa (คอนราด เกาะสมุย รีสอร์ท แอนด์ สปา) 49/8-9 Mu 4, Tambon Taling Ngam, Tel. 0 7791 5888 www.conradkohsamui.com, 180 rooms: 20,000-150,000 Baht.

Emerald Cove Resort (เอมเมอร์ลด์ คอฟ รีสอร์ท) 62 Mu 4 Tel. 0 7733 4100, 08 1970 8794 Fax. 0 7733 4100, 15 rooms: 300-800 Baht.

Intercontinental Samui (อินเตอร์คอนติเนนทอล สมุย) 295 Mu 3, Tel. 0 7742 9100 www.samui.intercontinental.com, 79 rooms: 7,500-22,000 Baht.

Sun Set Coast Samui Resort and Villa (ซันเซ็ท โคสต์ สมุย รีสอร์ท แอนด์ วิลล่า) 53/9 Mu 4, Tambon Taling Ngam, Tel. 0 7748 5299, www.sunsetcoastsamui.com, 33 rooms: 3,000-25,000 Baht.

The Beach Samui (เดอะ บีช สมุย) 30/23 Mu 5, Tambon Taling Ngam, Tel. 0 7723 4567 www.thebeachsamui.com, 21 rooms: 3,200-6,000 Baht.

The Sunset Beach Resort & Spa (เดอะ ซันเซ็ท บีช รีสอร์ท แอนด์ สปา) 126/9 Mu 3 Tambon Taling Ngam, Tel. 0 7742 8200 Fax. 0 7742 8250, www.thesunsetbeachresort.com, 21 rooms: 4,000-12,000 Baht.

The Treasure Ko Madsum (เดอะ เทรเชอร์ เกาะมัดสุ่ม) 9 Mu 4, Tambon Taling Ngam, Tel. 0 7795 3009-11 www.treasurekohmadsum.com, 37 rooms: 8,300-20,300 Baht.

Ao Thong Son (อ่าวทองสน)

Melati Beach Resort & Spa (เมลาตี บีช รีสอร์ท แอนด์ สปา) 9/99 Mu 5 Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7724 8111, 0 7791 3400-20 www.melatiresort.com, 77 rooms: 5,800-42,000 Baht.

The Ritz Carlton (เดอะ ริทซ์ คาร์ลตัน) 9/123 Mu 5, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7791 5777 www.ritzcarlton.com 175 rooms: 15,000-150,000 Baht.

Hat Choeng Mon (หาดเชิงมน)

Absolute Sanctuary Ko Samui (แอบโซลูท แซงคัวรี เกาะสมุย) 88 Mu 5, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7760 1190 Fax. 0 7760 1209, Bangkok office, Tel. 0 2252 4400 Fax. 0 2252 4405, www.abso-lutesanctuary.com, 38 rooms: 3,600-6,000 Baht.

Bai Yok Seacoast Resort (ไบยอก ซี โคสต์ รีสอร์ท) 24/73 Mu 5, Tel. 0 7742 8100 www.baiyokeseacoastsamui.com 46 rooms: 3,700-15,000 Baht.

Ban Thong Sai Bay (บ้านทองทราย) 84 Mu 5, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7791 3750 www.tong-saibay.co.th, 83 rooms: 8,900-14,500 Baht.

Bay Beach Resort (เบย์ บีช รีสอร์ท) 24/3 Mu 5, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7742 5372 www.baybeachkohsamui.com, 28 rooms: 1,200-3,000 Baht.

Cape Fahn Hotel (เคปฟาน โฮเต็ล) 24/269 Mu 5, Tambon Bo Phut Tel. 0 7760 2301 www.cape-fahnhotel.com 29 rooms: 20,000-100,000 Baht.

Outrigger Samui Beach Resort (เออร์ ทริคเกอร์ เกาะสมุย บีช รีสอร์ท) 63/182 Mu 5, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7791 4700 www.outrigger.com 52 rooms: 5,000-17,000 Baht.

Sala Samui Resort & Spa (ศาลาสมุย รีสอร์ท แอนด์ สปา) 10/9 Mu 5, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7724 5888 www.salasamui.com, 69 rooms: 5,000-40,000 Baht.

Samui Honey Cottage (สมุย ฮันนี คอตเทจ) 24/34 Mu 5 Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 7742 7094,

0 7742 5081 www.samuihoney.com, 20 rooms: 3,200-12,000 Baht.

Six Sense Samui (ซิกส์ เซ็นส์ สมุย) 9/10 Mu 5, Tambon Bo Phut, Tel. 0 8835 6989 www.sixsenses.com, 66 rooms: 16,000-114,000 Baht.

Hat Lipa Noi (หาดลิปะน้อย)

Kanokburi Resort (กนกบุรี รีสอร์ท) 84 Mu 2, Ta, bon Lipa Noi Tel. 0 7791 4444 www.kanok-buriresort.com 63 rooms: 3,500-18,000 Baht.

Nikki Beach (นิคกี บีช รีสอร์ท) 96/3 Mu 2, Tam-bon Lipa Noi, Tel. 0 7791 4500 www.nikkibeach.com, 48 rooms: 5,500-12,000 Baht.

Rajapruerk Samui Resort (ราชพฤกษ์ สมุย รีสอร์ท) 95/5 Mu 2, Tambon Lipa Noi, Tel. 0 7748 5780 www.rajaprueksamuiresort.com, 70 rooms: 1,500-8,000 Baht.

Sea Valley Hotel and Spa (ซี วาเลย์ โฮเต็ล แอนด์ สปา) 123/3 Mu 2, Tambon Lipa Noi, Tel. 0 7748 5745 www.seavalleyhotelandspa.com, 25 rooms: 2,500-10,000 Baht.

The Lipa Lovely Resort (เดอะ ลิปะ เลิฟลี่ รีสอร์ท) 95/70 Mu 2, Tambon Lipa Noi, Tel. 0 7748 5775-6 www.thelipa.com

The Siam Residence (เดอะ สยาม เรซิเดนซ์) 19/3 Tel. 0 7742 0008, www.siamresidence.com, 8 rooms: 2,800-13,000 Baht.

Hat Ban Tai (หาดบ้านไต้)

Bel Mond (เบล มอนด์) 65/10 Mu 5, Tambon Maenam, Tel. 0 7742 9200 www.belmond.com, 69 rooms: 12,000-45,000 Baht.

Hat Hua Thanon (หาดหัวถนน)

Shiva Samui (ชีวา สมุย) 443/11 Mu 1, Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7733 2980, 08 5783 2149 www.shivasamui.com, 30 rooms: 4,000-30,000 Baht.

Villa Nalinnadda (วิลล่า นลินนัตตา) 399/1-4 Mu 1, Tambon Maret, Tel. 08 5068 8999, 08 9472 9889, 9 rooms: 3,800-9,200 Baht.

Amphoe Ko Pha-ngan

Ao Si Thanu (อ่าวศรีธนู)

Chill Resort (ซิล รีสอร์ท) 14/12 Mu 8, Tambon Ko Pha-ngan, Tel. 08 1804 6059, 0 7734 9294, 20 rooms: 1,000-2,500 Baht.

Loyfa Natural Resort (ลอยฟ้า เนเชอรัล รีสอร์ท) 14/1 Mu 8, Tel. 0 7737 7319 www.loyfanatural-resort.com, 45 rooms: 850-4,900 Baht.

Pha-ngan Cove Beach Resort 17/14 Mu 8, Si Thanu Tel. 08 3969 8584 www.phangancove.com 25 room: 1,100-1,800 Baht.

Hat Yao (หาดยาว)

Hat Yao Bay View Resort & Spa (หาดยาว เบย์วิว รีสอร์ท แอนด์ สปา) 57 Mu 8, Tambon Ko Pha-ngan, Tel. 0 7734 9141, 0 7734 9193-4 www.haadyao-bayviewresort.com, 120 rooms: 500-3,500 Baht.

Hat Yao Resort (หาดยาว รีสอร์ท) 53/4 Mu 8 Tel. 0 7734 9145, 17 rooms: 800-3,000 Baht.

Hat Yao Villa (หาดยาว วิลล่า) 53/3 Mu 8, Tel. 0 7734 9318, 16 rooms: 800-2,800 Baht.

Lucky Resort (ลัคกี้ รีสอร์ท) 59/4 Mu 8 Tel. 0 7734 9007, 20 rooms: 500-2,000 Baht.

Sea Board Bungalow Ko Pha-ngan (ซีบอร์ด บังกะโล เกาะพะงัน) 53/1 Mu 8, Tel. 0 7734 9157 www.seaboardbungalow.com 20 rooms: 1,300-3,500 Baht.

Seethrough Boutique (ซีทรู บูติค รีสอร์ท) 85/6 Mu 8, Tambon Ko Pha-ngan, Tel. 0 7734 9315, www.seethroughresort-kohphangan.com, 44 rooms: 500-7,00 Baht.

Sun Moon Star Resort 58/15 Mu 8, Hat Yao, Tel. 0 7734 9139, 08 6279 0166 www.sun-moonstarresortkohphangan.com 10 rooms: 800-1,500 Baht.

Hat Salat (หาดสลัด)

Green Papaya Resort (กรีน ปาปาย่า รีสอร์ท) 64/8 Mu 8 Tel. 0 7737 4230, 0 7734 9280 www.

greenpapayaresort.com, 20 rooms: 2,500-7,500 Baht.

Salad Hut Resort (สลัดฮัท รีสอร์ท) 61/3 Mu 8, Tel. 08 1173 4992, www.saladhut.com, 14 rooms: 2,200-5,000 Baht.

Villa Cha Cha Salad Beach Resort 64/3 Mu 8, Tel. 0 7734 9305, 0 7734 9258 villa-cha-cha-koh-phangan.hotels-in-kohphangan.com 58 room: 1,700-14,000 Baht.

Ao Chalok Lam (อ่าวโฉลกหลำ)

Buri Tara Resort & Spa Ko Pha-ngan (บุรีธารา รีสอร์ท แอนด์ สปา เกาะพะงัน) 113/3 Ban Chalok Lam, Tambon Ko Pha-ngan, Tel. 09 8039 3711, 0 7737 4021, www.buritararesort.com, 45 rooms: 1,200-2,000 Baht.

Casa Kandariya 9/2 Mu 7, Tel. 09 8979 9422 eee.casakandariya.com 16 rooms: 1,200-3,500 Baht.

Chalok Lum Bay Resort (โฉลกหลำ เบย์ รีสอร์ท) 68/1 Mu 7 Tel. 0 7737 4147-8, 0 7737 4222 Fax. 0 7737 4148, www.chaloklumbay.com, 30 rooms: 500-1,500 Baht.

Malibu Beach Bungalow (มาลิบู บีช บังกะโล) 65/1 Mu 7 Tel. 0 7737 4057, 08 1747 6603 www.malibubeachbungalows.com, 28 rooms: 500-4,000 Baht.

Mandalai Hotel (มันดาลาย์ ไฮเต็ล) 2/3 Mu 7, Tel. 0 7737 4317, www.mandalaihotel.com, 12 rooms: 1,600-2,400 Baht.

Viva on the Beach Hotel (วิวา ออน เดอะ บีช ไฮเทล) 42/4 Mu 7 Tel. 0 7737 4355, 24 rooms: 600-3,800 Baht.

Hat Khuat (หาดขุด)

Hat Khuad Resort (หาดขุด รีสอร์ท) 154/1 Mu 1 Tel. 08 1894 6716, 08 1270 9475, 08 9885 2556 www.haadkhuadresort.com, 29 rooms: 450-1,800 Baht.

Hat Thong Nai Pan Yai (หาดท้องนาพานใหญ่)
Dream Land Resort Ko Pha-ngan (ดรีมแลนด์
รีสอร์ท เกาะพะงัน) 11 Mu 5, Tambon Ban Tai, Tel.
0 7744 5045, www.dreamlandresort.net, 62
rooms: 800-4,000 Baht.

Hawana Beach Resort Ko Pha-ngan (ฮาวา
น่า บีช รีสอร์ท เกาะพะงัน) 47/5 Mu 5, Tambon Ban
Tai, Tel. 0 7744 5163, www.phangngahavana.
com 51 rooms: 2,200-7,500 Baht.

Long Tail Beach Resort (ลอง เทล บีช รีสอร์ท)
2/5 Mu 5, Tel. 0 7744 5018 www.longtail-
beachresort.com 49 rooms: 890-2,950 Baht.

Nice Beach Bungalow (ไนซ์ บีช บังกะโล) 6/5
Mu 5, Tambon Ban Tai, Tel. 0 7723 8547, 08 7888
2766 Fax. 0 7744 5022, www.nicebeachresort.
net, 20 rooms: 500-3,500 Baht.

Star Light Resort (สตาร์ไลท์ รีสอร์ท) 6/4 Mu
5, Tel. 0 7744 5026, 08 1894 1730, 33 rooms:
700-3,200 Baht.

Hat Thong Nai Pan Noi (หาดท้องนาพาน
น้อย)

**Anantara Rasananda Ko Pha-ngan Villa
Resort & Spa** (อนันตรา รส้านดา เกาะพะงัน วิลล่า
รีสอร์ท แอนด์ สปา) 55/5 Mu 5, Tambon Ban Tai, Tel.
0 7795 6660 www.phangan-rasananda.anan-
tara.com, 64 bungalows: 5,100-12,000 Baht.

Buri Rasa Ko Pha-ngan (บุรี รสา เกาะพะงัน)
55 Mu 5 Tambon Ban Tai, Tel. 0 7795 6075 www.
burirasa.com, 65 rooms: 4,000-10,000 Baht.

Panviman Resort (พานวิมาน รีสอร์ท) 22/1 Mu
5 Tambon Ban Tai, Tel. 0 7744 5101-9 www.
panviman.com, 94 rooms: 3,000-25,000 Baht.

Phuwadee Resort & Spa (ภูวดี รีสอร์ท แอนด์
สปา) 22/6 Mu 5, Tel. 0 7744 5132, 0 7744 5133,
30 bungalows: 600-1,500 Baht.

Thong Tapan Resort (ทองตาปาน รีสอร์ท) 22 Mu
5 Tambon Ban Tai, Tel. 0 7744 5067, 09 8746 3159
www.thongtapanresort.com, 30 bungalows:
700-4,000 Baht.

Santhiya Ko Pha-ngan Resort & Spa (สันติ
ยา เกาะพะงัน รีสอร์ท แอนด์ สปา) 22/7 Mu 5, Tambon
Ban Tai, Tel. 0 7742 8999 www.santhiya.com, 99
rooms: 4,500-25,000 Baht.

Hat Rin (หาดริน)

Amaresa Resort (อมาเรซ่า รีสอร์ท) 130/22 Mu 6,
Tambon Ban Tai, Hat Rin Nok, Tel. 08 5079 1869,
www.amaresa.nl, 21 rooms: 500-3,500 Baht.

Blue Hill Resort (บลู ฮิลล์ รีสอร์ท) 117/9 Mu 6,
Hat Rin Nai, Tel. 0 7737 5556, 0 7737 5558-9, 30
rooms: 1,200-6,000 Baht.

Delight Resort (ดีไลท์ รีสอร์ท) 140 Mu 6, Hat Rin
Nok, Tel. 0 7737 5527 www.delightresort.com,
45 rooms: 1,200-6,900 Baht.

Friendly Resort & Spa (เฟรนด์ลี่ รีสอร์ท แอนด์
สปา) 110/13 Mu 6, Hat Rin, Tel. 0 7737 5167, 50
rooms: 750-3,600 Baht.

Neptune Villa Hotel (เนปจูน วิลล่า โฮเต็ล)
110/1 Mu 6, Hat Rin Nai, Tel. 0 7737 5251, 08
8762 3195 www.neptunes-villa.com, 73 rooms:
800-5,000 Baht.

Palita Lodge (พาลิตา ลอดจ์) 119 Mu 6, Tambon
Ban Tai, Hat Rin, Tel. 0 7737 5170-2 www.palital-
odge.com, 40 rooms: 1,800-6,400 Baht.

Pha-ngan Bayshore Resort (พะงัน เบย์ชอร์
รีสอร์ท) 141 Mu 6, Tambon Ban Tai, Hat Rin Nok,
Tel. 0 7741 3764, www.phanganbayshore.com,
142 rooms: 1,450-3,600 Baht.

Rin Beach Resort (ริน บีช รีสอร์ท) 94/2 Mu 6, Hat
Rin Nai, Tel. 0 7737 5112-3, www.rinbeachresort.
com, 40 bungalows: 700-9,500 Baht.

Sea Beach Resort (ซี บีช รีสอร์ท) Hat Rin, Tel.
0 7737 5162, 0 7737 5419, www.seabreeze-
kohphangan.com, 14 rooms: 1,500-6,000 Baht.

Sea Garden Resort & Spa (ซี การ์เดน รีสอร์ท
แอนด์ สปา) 137 Mu 6, Tambon Ban Tai, Hat Rin,
Tel. 0 7737 5283-4 www.seagarden-phangan.
com, 30 rooms: 400-2,600 Baht.

Sea View Sunrise Resort (ซีวิว ซันไรส์ รีสอร์ท)

134 Mu 6, Tambon Ban Tai, Hat Rin, Tel. 0 7737 5160, 08 7061 0609, www.seaviewsunrise.com, 35 rooms: 500-1,600 Baht.

V2 Seagate Hip Hotel (เว็ท ซีเกต ฮิป โฮเต็ล) 157 Mu 6, Hat Rin Nok, Tel. 09 9087 5521 www.v2seagatehiphotel.com, 10 rooms: 2,000-3,000 Baht.

Ao Naiwok

Kupu Kupu Pha-ngan Villa and Spa (คูปู วิลล่า แอนด์ สปา) 69/13 Mu 4, Tel. 0 7737 7384 www.kupuphangan.com, 35 rooms: 7,900-20,000 Baht.

Ko Tao

Ameenjeerah Resort (อะมีนจีราห์ รีสอร์ท) 16/4 Mu 1, Hat Sai Ri, Tel. 0 7745 6044, www.ameenjeerah.com, 17 rooms: 1,500-8,400 Baht.

Ban's Diving Resort (แบนส์ไดฟ์ริงรีสอร์ท) 3/1 Mu 1 Hat Sai Ri, Tel. 0 7745 6466, www.bansdivingresort.com, 200 rooms: 1,500-10,000 Baht.

Cham Churee Villa (จามจุรี วิลล่า) 30/1 Mu 2 Tel. 0 7745 6379-4 www.chamchureevilla.com, 73 rooms: 3,000-44,100 Baht.

Dusit Buncha Resort (ดุสิต บัญชา รีสอร์ท) 31/3 Mu 1, Tel. 0 7745 7098, 0 7745 6730, www.dusitbuncharesort.com, 50 rooms: 1,200-18,000 Baht.

Hat Tien Beach Resort (หาดเทียน บีช รีสอร์ท) 19/9 Mu 3, Tel. 0 7745 6580, 0 7760 1972 www.haadtien.com, 75 rooms: 6,500-16,000 Baht.

Jama Khiri and Spa (จามาคีรี รีสอร์ท แอนด์ สปา) 21/2 Mu 3, Tel. 0 7745 6400, www.jamakhiri.com, 36 rooms: 5,200-30,000 Baht.

Ko Tao Cabana (เกาะเต่า คาบาน่า) 16 Mu 1, Hat Sai Ri, Tel. 0 7745 6504, 08 1814 2269 www.kohtaocabana.com, 56 rooms: 1,800-12,000 Baht.

Ko Tao Montra Resort and Spa (เกาะเต่า มนตรา รีสอร์ท แอนด์สปา) 1/51 Mu 2, Tel. 07745 7057-9 www.kohtaomontra.com, 60 rooms:

2,500-10,000 Baht.

Ko Tao Coral Grand Resort (เกาะเต่า คอรัล แกรนด์ รีสอร์ท) 15/4 Mu 1 Tambon Ko Tao Tel. 0 7745 6431-2, www.kohtaocaoral.com, 120 rooms: 1,500-7,000 Baht.

Ko Tao Resort (เกาะเต่า รีสอร์ท) 19/1 Mu 3 Tel. 0 7745 6133, 0 7745 6135 www.kotaoresort.com, 60 rooms: 1,700-8,000 Baht.

Ko Tao Simple Life Resort (เกาะเต่า ซิมเปิลไลฟ์ รีสอร์ท) 14/11 Mu 1, Hat Sai Ri, Tel. 0 7745 6142, 08 4652 4246, www.kohtaosimpleliferesort.com, 50 rooms: 1,700-3,200 Baht.

Montalay Beach Resort (มอนต์ทะเล บีช รีสอร์ท) 53 Mu 3, Tel. 0 7745 6488-9 www.montalayresort-kohtao.com 54 rooms: 600-4,800 Baht.

New Heaven Dive School (นิว เฮเวน ไดฟ์ รีสอร์ท) 44 Mu 3, Tel. 0 7745 7045, www.newheavendiveschool.com 10 rooms: 350-3,500 Baht.

Sea Shell Resort (ซีเชลล์ รีสอร์ท) 9/1 Mu 1 Hat Sai Ri, Tel. 0 7745 6299, 08 1816 5397 www.seashell-kohtao.com, 115 rooms: 1,000-12,500 Baht.

Sen Si Paradise Beach Resort (เซ็นซี พาราไดซ์ บีช รีสอร์ท) 27 Mu 2, Tel. 0 7745 6244, www.sensiparadiseresort.com, 74 rooms: 2,900-15,000 Baht.

Sai Daeng Resort (ทรายแดง รีสอร์ท) 46/9 Mu 3, Hat Sai Daeng, Tel. 0 7745 6768, 0 7745 7042, www.saidaeng.com, 70 rooms: 3,200-10,400 Baht.

The Tarna Align Resort (เดอะ ธนา อะไลน์ รีสอร์ท) 33 Mu 1, Hat Sai Ri, Tel. 0 7760 1843, www.thetarnakohtao.com, 50 rooms: 2,500-12,500 Baht.

Thalassa Hotel (ทาลาสซา โฮเต็ล) 17/100 Mu 1, Hat Sai Ri, Tel. 0 7745 6791, www.thalassakohtao.com, 20 rooms: 2,000-2,800 Baht.

Amphoe Don Sak

Donsak Ville (ดอนสัก วิลล์) 18/9-16 Mu 5, Wang-

hin Road, Tel. 09 6825 8525, Tel. 700-1,000 Baht.
Janpa Resort (จันทน์ผา รีสอร์ท) 37 Mu 10, Tambon Donsak Tel. 08 9871 7440, 08 7893 3836, 1,300 Baht.

Amphoe Phunphin

Le Phant Hotel (ณ ท่าโรงช้าง) 101/3 Mu 3, Tambon Ta Rong Chang, Tel. 09 3780 5123, 0 7735 7309 www.lephanthotel.com, 590 Baht.

Phu Than Hotel (โรงแรมภูพาน) 99/33 Mu 6, Khlong Sai, The Chang, Tel. 0 7727 0902, 06 3079 1213, 550 Baht.

The Neenlawat Riverside Resort (เดอะ นิล วัณณ์ ริเวอร์ไซด์ รีสอร์ท) 90 Mu 1, Khao Hua Khway, Tel. 08 1926 9138, www.neenlawat.com, 700-2,200 Baht.

The O Valley Boutique Hotel (ดี โอ วาเลย์ บูทีค โฮเทล) 1/5 Mu 4, Tambon Ta Rong Chang, Tel. 0 7735 7311-2, www.theovalleyhotel.com, 36 rooms: 775-1,500 Baht.

Amphoe Phanom

500 Rai Khaosok Floating Resort (๕๐๐ ไร่ เขาสก ไพล่ตติง รีสอร์ท) Tel. 0 7795 3013 www.500rai.com, 15,000-30,000 Baht.

Art River View Lodge (อาร์ท ริเวอร์วิว จังเกิล ลอดจ์) 54/3 Mu 6 Tambon Klong Sok, Tel. 08 90167 6818, www.artsriverviewlodge.com, 8 rooms : 800-2,500 Baht.

Baan Khao Sok Resort (บ้านเขาสกรีสอร์ท) 231 Mu 6 Tambon Klong Sok, Tel. 08 1958 0185, 08 1894 5440, 8 rooms: 500-1,500 Baht .

Khaosok Boutique Camp (เขาสก บูติก แคมป์) 47 Mu 5, Tambon Khlongsok, Tel. 0 7790 2606, 06 2428 3319, www.khaosokboutiquecamps.com, 16 rooms: 1,500-2,500 Baht.

Khao Sok Evergreen House (เขาสก เอเวอร์กรีน) 54/4 Mu 6 Tambon Klong Sok, Tel. 08 1978 7203, 08 3394 7809, 500-1,600 Baht.

Khao Sok Green Valley Resort (เขาสก กรีน

วัลเลย์ รีสอร์ท) 291 Mu 6 Tambon Klong Sok, Tel. 08 4845 7916, 4 rooms: 1,300-4,500 Baht.

Khao Sok Rain Forest Resort (เขาสกเรนฟอเรส รีสอร์ท) 122 Mu 6 Tambon Klong Sok, Tel. 08 9827 6230, 08 1900 2697, Fax. 0 7739 5007 www.khaosokrainforest.com, 10 rooms: 1,200 Baht.

Khao Sok Riverside Cottage (เขาสก ริเวอร์ไซด์ คอทเทจ) 230 Mu 6 Tambon Klong Sok, Km 106.5, Thakua Pa-Surat Thani Road, Tel. 0 7739 5159 www.khao-sok-riverside-cottages.com, 1,200-2,200 Baht.

Khao Sok Tree House Resort (เขาสก ทรีเฮาส์ รีสอร์ท) 233 Mu 6 Khao Sok, Tel. 08 9970 3353, www.khaosok_treehouse.com 8 rooms: 4,000-16,000 Baht.

Morning Mist Resort (มอร์นิ่ง มิส รีสอร์ท) 53/3 Mu 6 Tambon Klong Sok, Tel. 09 5356 3466, 06 2337 0607, www.morningmistresort.com, 22 rooms : 550-1,200 Baht.

Tree Top Jungle Safari (ทรีท็อป จังเกิล ซาฟารี) 123 Mu 6 Tambon Klong Sok, Tel. 08 9784 7272 www.treetopjungleasafaris.com, 20 rooms: 5,000-20,000 Baht.

Tree Top River Hut (ทรีท็อปริเวอร์ฮัท) 54 Mu 6 Tambon Klong Sok, Tel. 0 7739 5167, www.treetopriverhut.com, 1,600 Baht.

Amphoe Ban Ta Khun

All Time Pool Villa (อล ไทม์ พูล วิลล่า) 68/3 Mu 1, Tel. 0 7792 9622, 1,800-2,400 Baht.

Ban Din Chiewlarn (บ้านดินเขียวหลาน) 17/10 Mu 3, Tambon Khao Phang, Tel. 08 1234 7797 www.baandinchiewlarn.com, 1,600-3,500 Baht.

Ban Suan Phu Tarn (บ้านสวนภูธาร) 4/3 Mu 3, Tambon Khao Phang, Tel. 09 3029 9799, 850-3,600 Baht.

Belong Jin The Dam Resort (บิลลอง จิน เดอะ แดม รีสอร์ท) 718 Mu 4, Khao Phang, Tel. 08 7046 5744, 5,000-14,000 Baht.

Chiewlancamp and Resort (เขียวหลานแคมป์

แอนด์ รีสอร์ท) 19 Mu 1, Kaopang, Tel. 08 8225 5544, 1,500-4,000 Baht.

Keereewarin Chiewlarn Resort (คีรีวาริน เขี้ยวหลาน รีสอร์ท) Chiewlarn Dam, Tel. 08 6475 8368 www.keereewarin.com 8,000 Baht.

Panvaree Resort (พันวารีย์ รีสอร์ท) Chiewlarn Dam, Tel. 09 0991 5995, 6,000-8,800 Baht.

Takhun Moutain View (ตาขุน เมฆเท่นิว) 149 Mu 3, Tambon Khaowong, Tel. 0 7738 0949, 3,000-6,000 Baht.

Amphoe Khiri Rat Nikhom

Ban Kiang Khlong (บ้านเคียงคลอง รีสอร์ท) 289 Mu 1, Ban Tham Niab, Tel. 08 1719 1712, 08 1370 4012, 600-2,000 Baht.

Tumneab Barn Pak (ท่าเนียบบ้านพัก) 167 Mu 1, Ban Tumneab, Tel. 08 1894 0791, 08 1537 7787

Amphoe Vibhavadi

Pi Creek Hideaway Resort (พาย ครีก ไฮด์อะเวย์ รีสอร์ท) 11 Mu 11, Ban Wang Thum, Tambon Nam Hak, Tel. 08 2286 6567, 2,600 Baht.

Amphoe Chaiya

Puen Doen Thang (เพื่อนเดินทาง) 15/1 Mu 6 Highway 41, Tel. 0 7743 1559, 08 4774 0555 Fax. 0 7743 1767, 20 rooms: 250-500 Baht.

Laem Pho Beach Resort (แหลมโพธิ์ บีช รีสอร์ท) 111/1 Mu 1, Phumriang, Tel. 08 9730 8999, 1,000-1,500 Baht.

RESTAURANTS

Amphoe Mueang Surat Thani

Ban Bon Khao View Suay (บ้านบนเขาวิสุย)

Mu 2, Tamnbon Wat Pradu, Tel. 09 9364 3299
Open Daily (Monday-Friday 10.00 a.m.-10.00 p.m., Saturday 6.00 a.m.-10.00 p.m.) (Thai Southern Style food)

Chai Huai (จ่ายฮวย) 285/1 Talat Mai Road, Tel. 0 7727 2969, 0 7728 2558 (Thai & Chinese food)

Chek Bak Tae Tiam Resturant (ร้านเจ๊กบักเต๋เต๋ยม) Donnok Road, Tambon Talat, Tel. 08 6478 4108, Open Daily 6.00 a.m.-11.30 a.m.

Gradang-nga Bush (ทุ่งกระดังงา) 31/57-59 Soi Donnok8/1, Don Nok Road, Tel. 0 7721 6528, Open Daily 11.00 a.m.-11.00 p.m. (Thai Southern Food)

Kam Pun (ร้านกำปั่น) 288-24, Tambon Makham Tai, Tel. 0 7728 3313, Open Daily 10.00 a.m.-9.00 p.m. (Thai Southern Food)

Ko Yan Dim Sum (โกยันดีมซำ) Sri Wichai Road (opposite Diamond Hotel), Open Daily 6.00 a.m.-11.30 a.m.

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Lamphu 3 (ร้านลำพู ๓) 23/3 Soi Paknam Tapi, Tel. 0 7728 6995, 08 1979 0294, Open Daily 10.00 a.m.-9.00 p.m. (Seafood)

Ma Rem BBQ and Grill (มาเรม บีบีคิว) Sri Kasem Road ZSoi Sri Kasem 39), Tel. 09 9364 2772, 09 3574 7699, Open Daily 11.00 a.m.-9.00 p.m. (Steak and Fusion Food)

Nam Petch (ร้านน้ำเพชร) 61/1 Mu. 1, Tambon Bangbaimai, Tel. 09 7295 6395, Open Daily 10.30

a.m.-8.00 p.m. (Southern-style food)

Pa Ting Noodle Seafood (ร้านก๋วยเตี๋ยวซีฟู้ด
ป่าตอง) Wat Pho-BangYai Road, Tel. 08 6595
0835, Open Tuesday-Friday 10.00 a.m.-4.00
p.m./Saturday-Sunday 10.00 a.m.-4.30 p.m.
(Seafood Noodle)

Rabiang Mai (ระเบียบไม้) Leap Maenam Tapi
Road, Tel. 0 7728 9485, Open Daily 10.00 a.m.-
10.00 p.m.

Ruan Thai Seafood (เรือนไทย ซีฟู้ด) 17 Paknam
Soi 12, Tambon Bangkung, Tel. 0 7728 6706,
Open Daily 10.00 a.m.-10.00 p.m. (Seafood)

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a.m.-11.00 a.m. (Dimsum)

Sun Hiang (ซันเฮียง) 1-5 Srichaiya Road, Tambon
Talat, Tel. 0 7727 2180, 08 4848 9001 (Seafood)

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10.00 p.m.

Tapi Seafood (ตาปี ซีฟู้ด) 30/1 Mu 3 Paknam
Tapi Road Tel. 0 7728 2115 Open Daily 9.00
a.m.-10.00 p.m. (Seafood)

The Ground Café and Hangout (เดอะ กราวนด์
คาเฟ่ แอนด์ แฮงเอาท์) Ta Chana Road, Tel. 08 5445
1516, Open Tuesday-Sunday 6.30 a.m.-9.00 p.m.
(Fusion Food)

Vanilla Café and Bistro (วานิลลา คาเฟ่ แอนด์
บิสโทร) Kanchanawitee Road, Tambon Bang
Kung, Tel. 09 6635 9147, Open Daily 10.00 a.m.-
11.00 p.m. (Bakery Café and Fusion food)

Yok Keng (ยอกเค่ง) Ton Pho Road, Tel. 0 7728
2285, 08 1893 8918, Open Daily 11.30 a.m.-4.30
p.m. (Noodle)

Amphoe Ko Samui

Bang Po Seafood (บางปอ ซีฟู้ด) 56/4 Mu 6
Tambon Maenam, Tel. 0 7742 0010, Open Daily
11.00 a.m.-10.00 p.m. (Seafood)

Khrua Chao Ban (ครัวชาวบ้าน) 438/18 Mu 1,

Tambon Maret, Tel. 0 7741 8589, Open Daily
10.00 a.m.-11.00 p.m. (Seafood)

Khrua Savoey (ครัวเสวย) 310/3 Mu 3 Tambon
Ang Thong, Talat Na Thon, Tel. 0 7742 0380,
Open Daily 8.00 a.m.-10.00 p.m. (Thai food)

Ko Seng (โกเซ่ง) Soi Mae Nam 5, Mae Nam, Tel.
0 7742 5365, Open Daily 10.00 a.m.-9.00 p.m.
(Thai Southern Style, Seafood)

Ruan Mai Nam (ร้านเรือนไม้หน้า) Soi Wat Pralarn,
Tambon Maenam, Tel. 08 0148 6636, Open Daily
10.00 a.m.-11.30 p.m.

Ta Ko Bang Po Seafood (ตาโข บางปอ ซีฟู้ด)
Highway No. 4169, Tel. 0 7742 0010, Open Daily
10.00 a.m.-10. p.m. (Seafood)

Tha Ruea Ko Samui (ร้านท่าเรือเกาะสมุย ซีฟู้ด)
Highway 4169, Ko Samui, Tel. 0 7844 8495,
07744 8495, Open Daily 11.00 a.m.-11.00 p.m.
(Seafood)

Sabeang Lay (เสเบียงเล) Mu 1, Tambon Maret,
Tel. 0 7733 2651, Open Daily 10.00 a.m.-10.00
p.m.

Amphoe Donsak

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1126, 08 4851 0300 Open Daily 10.00 a.m.-9
p.m. (Seafood)

Amphoe Kanchanadit

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p.m. (Seafood)

Nai Ao Seafood (ในอ่าว ซีฟู้ด) Pak Nam Kradae
Road, Tambon Kradae, Tel. 0 7737 9311, Open
Daily 10.00 a.m.-10.00 p.m. (Thai Southern Food
and Seafood)

Amphoe Ban Na San

Sin Hua Lang (ซินฮัวล้ง) 60-62 Nasan Nok Road
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p.m. (Thai food)

Amphoe Phun Pin

Phunisa (ภูนิสา) Highway No.401, Tel. 08 0529 7111, 08 0529 6111, Open Daily 11.00 a.m.-8.00 p.m. (Thai Southern-style food)

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Raneang Nam (ร้านระแงงน้ำ) Tharathipbadi Road, Tel. 09 4998 2239 (Seafood)

Amphoe Chaiya

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Surat Thani Hospital

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Ko Samui Hospital

Tel. 0 7791 3200

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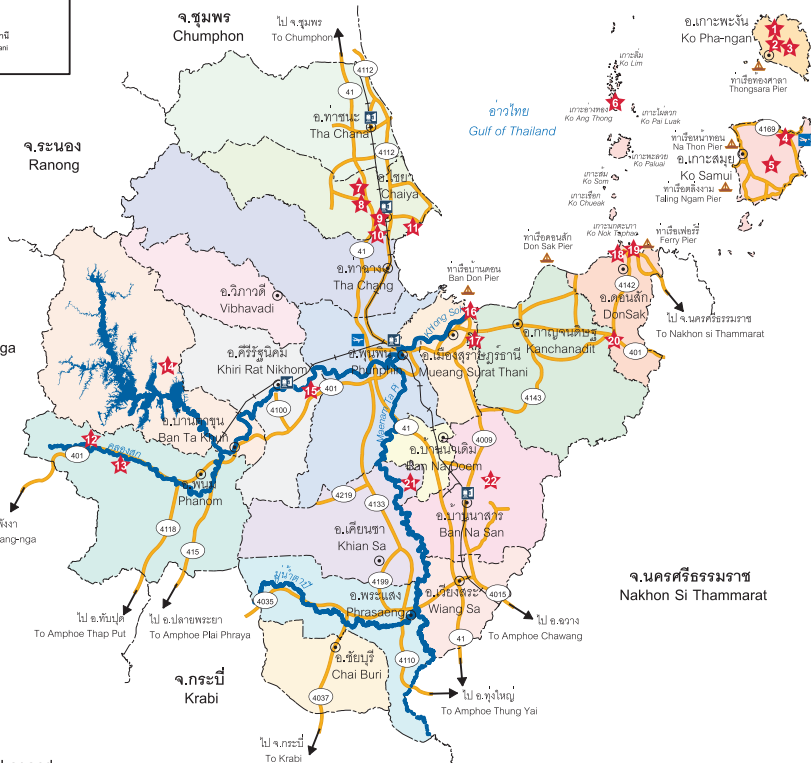
Tourist Police

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แผนที่ท่องเที่ยวจังหวัดสุราษฎร์ธานี

SURAT THANI TOURIST MAP



สัญลักษณ์ Legend

	อำเภอ (Amphoe (District))		ทางหลวง (Highway)
	สถานที่ท่องเที่ยว (Tourist Attraction)		เส้นขอบเขตจังหวัด (Province Boundary)
	สถานีรถไฟ (Railway Station)		เส้นขอบเขตอำเภอ (District Boundary)
	แหล่งน้ำ, แม่น้ำ (Stream, River)		ทางรถไฟ (Railway)
	สนามบิน (Airport)		

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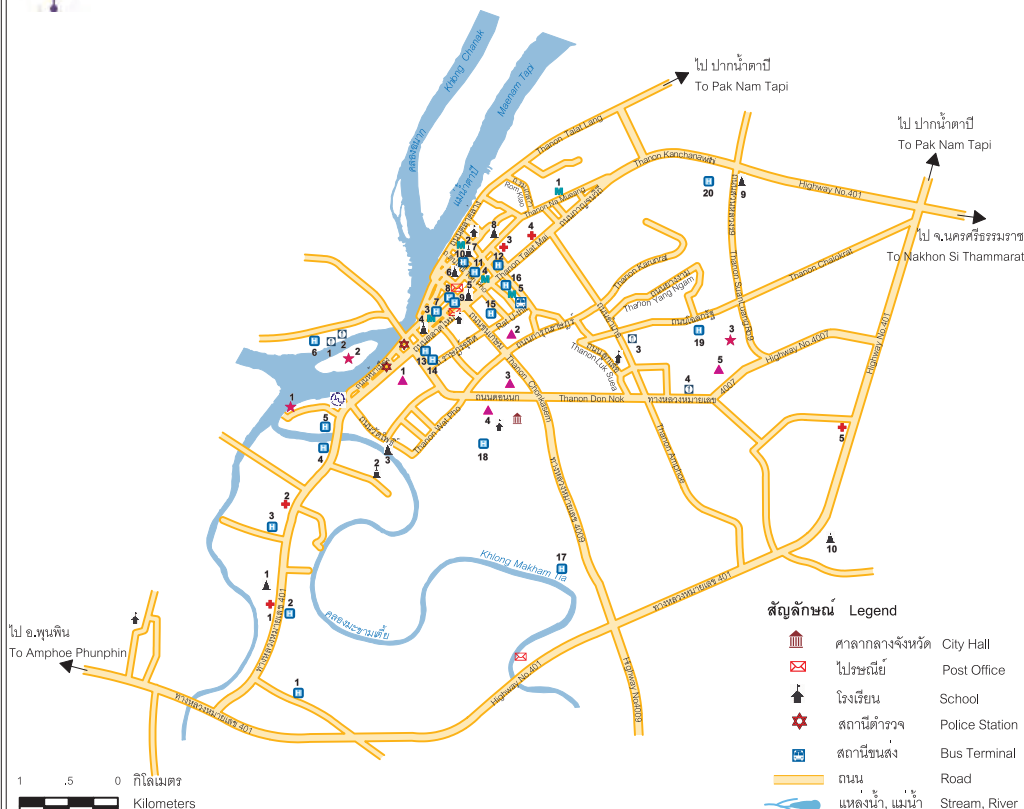
สถานที่ท่องเที่ยว Tourist Attraction

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| 1 ศาลเจ้าแม่กวนอิม Kwan Yin Shrine | 16 ปากน้ำตาปี Pak Nam Tapi |
| 2 พระพุทธบาทจำลองบนเขาวัดมธุราวาราม (วัดมะเดื่อหวาน) Lord Buddha's Footprints on the Mountain at Wat Mathurawaram or Wat Maduea Wan | 17 สถานีพัฒนาและส่งเสริมอนุรักษ์สัตว์ป่าเขาท่าเพชร Khao Tha Phet Wildlife Conservation Promotion and Development Station |
| 3 อุทยานแห่งชาติน้ำตกธารเสด็จ - เกาะพะงัน Namtok Than Sadet National Park-Ko Phan-ngan | 18 พิพิธภัณฑ์ปลาหิน Stone Fish Museum |
| 4 ศูนย์ลิงสมุย Samui Monkey Centre | 19 วัดเขาสุวรรณประดิษฐ์ Wat Khao Suwan Pradit |
| 5 เกาะสมุย Ko Samui | 20 น้ำตกวิภาวดี Namtok Vibhavadi |
| 6 อุทยานแห่งชาติหมู่เกาะอ่างทอง Mu Ko Ang Thong National Park | 21 เขตห้ามล่าสัตว์ป่าหนองทุ่งทอง Nong Thung Thong Non-hunting Area |
| 7 วัดหลง Wat Long | 22 อุทยานแห่งชาติไทร่มเย็น Tai Rom Yen National Park |
| 8 วัดรัตนาราม หรือ วัดแก้ว Wat Rattanaram or Wat Kaew | |
| 9 วัดพระบรมธาตุไชยาราชวรินทร์ Wat Phra Borommathat Chaiya Ratchaworihan | |
| 10 สวนโมกขพลาราม Suan Mokkhaphalaram | |
| 11 หมู่บ้านพุมเรียงและแหลมโพธิ์ Phumriang Village and Pho Cape | |
| 12 อุทยานแห่งชาติเขาสก Khao Sok National Park | |
| 13 อุทยานแห่งชาติคลองพนม Khlong Phanom National Park | |
| 14 เขื่อนรัชชประภา (เขื่อนเชี่ยวหลาน) Rajaprabha Dam or Chiao Lan Dam | |
| 15 วัดถ้ำสิงห์ Wat Tham Singkhon | |



แผนที่ตัวเมืองสุราษฎร์ธานี

SURAT THANI CITY MAP



โรงแรม Hotel

- 1 ปาล์ม การ์เดน รีสอร์ท Palm Garden Resort
- 2 โรงแรมสยามธานี Siam Thani Hotel
- 3 โรงแรมเซาท์ อินน์ South Inn Hotel
- 4 โรงแรมรุ่งตะวัน Rung Tawan Hotel
- 5 โรงแรมวังไค Wang Tai Hotel
- 6 เกาะกลาง บังกะโล Ko Klang Bungalow
- 7 โรงแรมอินทาวน์ Inn Town Hotel
- 8 โรงแรมแกรนด์ซิตี Grand City Hotel
- 9 โรงแรมตาปี Tapi Hotel
- 10 โรงแรมเสรี Seri Hotel
- 11 โรงแรมราชธานี Ratchathani Hotel
- 12 โรงแรมไทยรุ่งเรือง Thai Rungrueng Hotel
- 13 โรงแรมสยามธารา Siam Thara Hotel
- 14 โรงแรมบีเจ B.J. Hotel
- 15 โรงแรมดาวเทียม สตาร์ Southern Star Hotel
- 16 โรงแรมไทยธานี Thai Thani Hotel
- 17 โรงแรมไนท์ อินน์ Night Inn Hotel
- 18 โรงแรมเพลินเพชร Phloen Phet Hotel
- 19 โรงแรมเมอร์รี่ ไทม์ รีเซตเตล Merrytime Hotel
- 20 โรงแรมดาวลักษณ์ธานี Saowarakthani Hotel

วัด Temple (Wat)

- 1 วัดกลางใหม่ Wat Klang Mai
- 2 วัดหน้าเมือง Wat Na Mueang

วัดโพธารวาส Wat Po Thawat

- 3 วัดโพธารวาส Wat Po Thawat
- 4 วัดไตรธรรมาราม Wat Trithammaram
- 5 วัดธรรมบูชา Wat Thammabucha
- 6 วัดโพธิ์ Wat Sai
- 7 วัดพระยอด Wat Phra Yok
- 8 วัดพัฒนาราม Wat Phathanaram
- 9 วัดโพธิ์นิมิตร Wat Po Nimit
- 10 วัดท่าเพชร Wat Tha Phet

โรงพยาบาล Hospital

- 1 โรงพยาบาลศรีวิชัย Sriwichai Hospital
- 2 โรงพยาบาลสุราษฎร์ธานี Surat Thani Hospital
- 3 โรงพยาบาลบันดอน Bandon Hospital
- 4 โรงพยาบาลทักษิณ Thaksin Hospital
- 5 โรงพยาบาลค่ายวิภาวดีรังสิต Wiphawadi Rangsit Camp Hospital

ตลาด Market

- 1 ตลาดสดโพธิ์หวาย Po Wai Market
- 2 ตลาดกอบกาญจน์ภูมิติ Kopkan Naruemit Market
- 3 ตลาดสด Market
- 4 ตลาดเกษตร Kaset Market
- 5 ตลาดเกษตร 2 Kaset 2 Market

สัญลักษณ์ Legend

- ศาลากลางจังหวัด City Hall
- ไปรษณีย์ Post Office
- โรงเรียน School
- สถานีตำรวจ Police Station
- สถานีขนส่ง Bus Terminal
- ถนน Road
- แหล่งน้ำ, แม่น้ำ Stream, River

★ สถานที่ท่องเที่ยว Tourist Attraction

- 1 สวนสาธารณะศรีตาปี Sri Tapi Park
- 2 สวนสาธารณะเกาะลำพู่ Ko Lamphu Park
- 3 สวนสาธารณะสวนหลวง. 9 King Rama 9 Park

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- 1 ที่ว่าการอำเภอเมืองสุราษฎร์ธานี Amphoe Mueang Surat Thani Office
- 2 สำนักงานเทศบาลเมืองสุราษฎร์ธานี Surat Thani Municipality Office
- 3 วิทยาลัยเทคนิคสุราษฎร์ธานี Surat Thani Technical College
- 4 เรือนจำกลางจังหวัดสุราษฎร์ธานี Surat Thani Prison
- 5 สนามกีฬากลาง จังหวัดสุราษฎร์ธานี Surat Thani Stadium

🍽️ ร้านอาหาร Restaurant

- 1 ร้านอาหารระเบียงไม้ Rabiang Mai Restaurant
- 2 ร้านอาหารเรือนน้ำ Ruan Nam Restaurant
- 3 ร้านอาหารสวนอาหารป๊อปปี้ Popeye Restaurant
- 4 ร้านอาหารป๊อปปี้ 1 Popeye 1 Restaurant





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